

THE
EDITOR
SAYS—

This paragraph is written amid mixed emotions, that of extreme pride and of sadness. Of pride at the compliments paid our son, H. C. Blanton, at the banquet held in his honor Monday night by lawyers from Southeast Missouri, and of sadness that we shall probably not live to see further honors bestowed upon him. Harry has never been a boy. He has been a man from his youth, has worked and fought his way to his present position through hard work and strict attention to business. Perhaps it is indelicate to say more about our own offspring, but will say that we have seven other children that we are duly proud of and in due course of time perhaps they, too, will be heard of in many complimentary ways. These children were raised by a wonderful Mother to whom, perhaps, they owe their trait of having ambition to be somebody, to work and fight out their own destiny, to have honor, honesty and the Irish trait of making and retaining friends. We were just their Father.

A young man who has not been a regular attendant at church services, was asked to go, and did go, then remarked that he was so busy watching the hypocrites that he was unable to pay attention to what the preacher said.

Jackson Matthews, of Effingham, Ill., in writing to The Standard, had the following to say: "I might say that on every Wednesday and Saturday when I receive my copy of The Standard, the Advertising Manager of the Effingham Daily Record calls to see the issue. He takes the copy with him to show his editor and advertisers what real advertising looks like. The Record often comments in its issues of the high quality of The Standard, and they are convinced it is the best paper in any 5000 population town."

We are in receipt of a letter calling our attention to the fact of the city being overrun by rats, and calling for an intensive drive to rid the city of this nuisance and this menace as rats are carriers of numerous contagious diseases. Personally, have seen no sign of rats up our way, but if they are so plentiful some move should be made to rid the city of them. This for the health officers to make the first move.

At this time Sikeston is badly in need of more houses. There is not a vacant house in the city and calls every day. Four and five room houses with modern fixtures will bring good rent money. Several applications for one house now under construction. Young married people should start a home of their own through building and loan associations. If they never get it paid for they will have no fear of being out of doors if they pay their installments, which is little more than monthly rent.

Well, we've got some good news for Colonel Charley Blanton of The Sikeston Standard. At the dinner given in honor of Postmaster Graham Saturday night, we had a little talk with Sally Rand, who wanted to know all about Colonel Charley. We told her that he was a fine old boy, but that Ed Crowe calls him a diabetic. "My, my!" cried Sally. "And what does Ed Crowe say?" "Oh, Charley says that Ed's arteries are so hard that you can hear them crack. But it's Charley, not Ed, who's your friend. The Colonel is the world's greatest fan dance authority." "Does he say nice things about me?" asked Sally. "Sure. And he's printed your picture hundreds of times. In fact, he's created the belief in Southeast Missouri that folks just couldn't get along without you." So Sally grabbed our menu and wrote on it, "To Colonel Blanton—Gratefully, Sally Rand." We're bundling up the souvenir and shipping it to Charley, who thus gets his niche in the Hall of Fame. Sally, by the way, is one swell little gal. She's as pretty as a picture and as bright and fresh as a new daisy. She likes folks and wants folks to like her. She's not merely clever, she's smart. This department doesn't go for theatrical people, as a rule, but Sally took us. She's a knock out and richly deserves all the interest Charley Blanton has shown in her. Even Senator Jerome Joffe looked her over with an appreciative eye—and Jerome is terribly bashful. We're for Sally, lock, stock and barrel. Our hat's in the ring.—K. C. Democrat.

I don't want to brag, but we got mighty good policemen in Los Angeles. They have caught many a bad one. It looks like every time you get one of these notorious ones now, you get about two women to each man. Looks like about all the police would have to do is arrest every man that has more than one woman along. Times do change; the old-time outlaw never mixed his women and business.—Will Rogers.

The ten million dollar bond issue went over with a whoop. The cities were for it and country voters generally against it. It will be mighty fine to have the asylums modernized and brought up to date. We still don't give a rap how hard they make it on criminals in Missouri. Maybe they will steer clear of this State if the beds are hard and the grub plain.

Note the Different Kinds of Products Advertised in This Issue of the Standard. The Reason is Standard Circulation Reaches All Classes of Buyers

SIKESTON STANDARD

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Forrester Sworn In At Council Meeting

At a special Council meeting held at 8:00 o'clock Tuesday evening in the City Hall, Barney Forrester received seventy-three votes as alderman from ward three. Forrester received seventy-three votes during the special election held that same day. Lynn Swain polled one vote.

Councilmen at the session temporarily banned parking on the south side of Front street between Kingshighway and Scott street in an effort to eliminate crowded conditions on that thoroughfare caused by forty-five degree parking on the north side, which was decreed by a Council ordinance passed at the last meeting May 7. It is understood that if this plan is found not feasible, another will be tried.

Estimates for street signs, brackets, and posts, which would be required where there are not light or telephone poles, were referred to the Council's street committee. The figures were compiled by Joe Matthews.

Members of the group voted at Tuesday's meeting to join the American Association of Municipalities. Dues for the organization are \$50 a year.

Charles Boardman, street commissioner appeared before the Council to tell of the work of oiling the city roads, which is now in progress. The city buys oil and has it spread if home owners on oil streets pay the cost of the work.

The Council will meet again June 4 for a regular monthly session.

Find Right Hand in River Matching Body In Sack

With the finding of a human right hand, to which had been wired an old automobile spring and a bundle of clothing tied up in a sack and weighed down with gravel, in the Mississippi River near Cottonwood Point, officers of Dunklin and Pemiscot County are having revived their interest in the finding of an unidentified man in the slough east of White Oak, eight miles north of Kennett on April 8.

The right hand of this body had been chopped off about midway between the wrist and elbow, and the finding of this lone right hand, under the circumstances that it was discovered, and the further fact that there was evidence that two fingers were missing from this hand at the time it was placed in the river, lend further weight to the belief that the hand found in Pemiscot County belongs to the body found in Dunklin County, about 35 miles away.

According to Prosecuting Attorney Robert Hawkins of Caruthersville, the hand, to which had been wired an old automobile spring, was found in the river near Cottonwood Point, evidently having been thrown in the river when the water stage was considerably higher, and when the water went down the hand was exposed to view.

Nearby was found the bundle of clothing in a sack, weighted down with gravel. Investigation revealed that there were holes in the shirt and underwear at about the same place and looked as if they might be bullet holes.

The body of the unidentified man found in the slough east of White Oak contained four bullet holes, further evidence that the clothing found in the Mississippi was that worn by the man found in the slough north of Kennett. The body was found by three boys out boat riding one Sunday afternoon. The body, which was rather badly decomposed and discolored, gave evidence of having been in the water possibly two or three weeks.

Officers here had had no notice of anyone who had disappeared, and were without any clues on which to work. With the finding of the hand in Pemiscot County, interest is revived and with officers from both counties working on the case it is probable that further clues will be uncovered.—Kennett Democrat.

Mary Emma Powell Named Miss Sikeston

Mary Emma Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Powell, was named Miss Sikeston at a beauty contest held Wednesday evening at the Malone Theatre.

Miss Powell, who is 16 years old, was born and reared here and this Spring is completing her third year at the Sikeston high school. She is a brunette, has brown eyes and is 5 feet, 6 inches tall.

Her evening ensemble consisted of a dress of a robin's egg blue net over a blue taffeta silk slip, and silver and blue sandals. Her bathing suit was of rich yellow knit silk.

Because she captured first place Wednesday evening, Miss Powell will go May 26 to Poplar Bluff to compete with other Southeast Missouri town representatives during the Ozarks Mardi Gras for a district title. If she defeats all other contestants there she will be awarded a week's trip to the World's Fair in Chicago with all expenses paid.

Second place in the city competition was given to Ann Beck, representing the J. Wm. Foley Motor Company, and third to Helen Virginia Keith, entered by the Tiny Beauty Salon. Miss Powell represented Shainberg's.

Judges for the contest, which was sponsored by the Lions Club, were chosen by an unnamed Sikeston man who is not a Lion and is not related to any of the contestants nor to the members of sponsoring firms. Wednesday afternoon he went to the hotels and secured three men who are unacquainted here and do not sell merchandise to the sponsoring concerns.

To lend atmosphere, Miss Esther Lee Boyer of St. Louis, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brewer of Charleston, formerly of Sikeston, sat on the stage during the performance.

A Lions Club committee arranged details of the contest and Ralph Anderson announced the entrants. Other young women who participated and the firms whose representatives they were are Mildred Williams, Mitchell-Sharp Chevrolet Company; Bessie Cauthorn, Peoples Market; Irene Miller, Peoples Store; Laura Jo Smith, Arthur's Cities Service Station; Evelyn Ward, Buckner-Ragsdale; Hazel Young, Pitman and Son; Christine Cauthorn, Woolworth's; Mildred Baker, Sterling's Store; Mickey Patterson, Wolf House Furniture Company; Verna DuBois, Lair Furniture Company; Sylvia Goldstein, Graber's; Margaret Fisher, The Sikeston Herald, and Emily Blanton, White's Drug Store.

Although by the action of Kansas City, St. Louis, and the traditionally strong Democratic counties the \$10,000,000 bond issue proposal was easily passed two to one. Sikeston voters showed little interest in the special election, casting 144 ballots for the issue and 95 against it.

The vote by precincts was: North, 90 for, 39 against; south, 54 for, 56 against.

Scott County as a whole, with approximately 1000 votes cast in the election, approved the issue with a majority of about 175. In Forneft it carried 125 to 16.

Cape Girardeau voters gave the issue almost a two to one majority, but because of heavy voting against it at Jackson and in rural communities the total count for county was 1401 against and only 653 for.

Springfield and other Ozark

towns, where Republicans predominate, were strongly opposed to the bond issue. Butler County residents voted five to one against it, and those in four of the county precincts were unanimously against the proposition.

Incomplete returns showed that Bollinger, Dunklin and Stoddard Counties did not favor the bond issue and that Mississippi, New Madrid and Pemiscot Counties approved it.

HARRIS-MCNESE
Mrs. Virginia McNeese of Simpson, Ill., a waitress at Kirby's Cafe, and Grant Harris of Sikeston, night cook at Billy Walker's restaurant, were married at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday evening at the Nazarene parsonage by the Rev. C. F. Transue. Witnesses were Boyd Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gage.

The heavy cruiser Astoria, which was built in a drydock at the Puget Sound Navy Yard and launched last December, was the first United States naval vessel in over thirteen years to have been christened with champagne.

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Friends Catch Store Burglar in Fornelt

Surrounded by residents of Fornelt, who responded to a call from A. D. Schrieffer, owner of a general store, Marvin Sprickles, 22 years old, of Dexter, was caught and held while he was attempting burglary late Wednesday night. He is now in the Scott County jail at Benton.

Soon after midnight, Mr. Schrieffer was awakened at his home by a burglar alarm which is connected with the store. He telephoned Philip Uhan, marshal, and about fifty friends, who arrived on foot and in automobiles and blocked streets and alleys near the store.

After car lights were turned on the store's front, Uhan demanded that the burglar come out. From behind a pile of flour sacks a man replied that he wished to speak with the manager alone. Threatened further, he finally appeared and was handcuffed by Sheriff Joe Anderson, who had arrived.

As the officer started to drive away, however, Sprickles leaped from the sheriff's car and headed into a lot overgrown with tall weeds. Captured again, he was taken to Benton and placed in the jail.

The youth denied knowledge of a new V-8 Ford sedan which was found in the alley behind the store and contained goods stolen from a Fornelt concern Monday night. He said that he had been in the north and was only searching for food.

Sikeston Semo Ball Team to Play Sunday

One hundred and four dollars have been subscribed by Sikeston concerns and individuals for the benefit of the city's team which will be a member of the Southeast Missouri baseball league. More will be given soon.

The money will be used for the purchase of equipment. The suits, ordered May 3, will arrive this week in time for the opening game at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, when Sikeston meets Jackson for one of the first games of the season.

That same day Ilmo-Fornelt will play at Charleston, Poplar Bluff at Dexter and Cape Girardeau at Caruthersville.

Slim Limbaugh will be manager of the team and will serve as catcher as well. Clarence Dowdy, the captain, will play center field. Others who will participate in Sikeston's first game Sunday will be picked from the following men: Crain, left fielder; Law, first baseman; Sherry, pitcher; Butler, pitcher; Nix, infielder; Kindred, right fielder; Swain, right fielder; May, first baseman or pitcher; Dace and Bandy, shortstops; Beard, outfielder or catcher; Lancaster, Engram and Marshall, second basemen; Payne, outfielder.

Firms and individuals who have contributed to the team fund are: The Missouri Utilities Company, Southeastern Telephone Company, E. C. Robinson Lumber Company, Coca-Cola Bottling Works, Ralph Anderson, J. J. Reiss, Sutton Bros. Grocery, Percy Anderson, Bank of Sikeston, Sikeston Lumber Company, Fisher Barber Shop, Mitchell-Sharp Chevrolet Company, Lair Furniture Company, John G. Powell Insurance Company.

Harry Young, Hubert Boyer, Air-Mist Laundry, L. T. Davey, Bess Fruit Produce Company, Trousdale Service Station, John LaFont, Dempster Furniture Company, Graber's Department Store, Buckner-Ragsdale, Dr. C. W. Limbaugh, Jack Lancaster, Elmos Taylor, H. H. Grocery, Sensenbaugh Brothers, Bob Joyner, Selwards Meat Market, Jack Matthews, Hudson Cafe, Barry's Red & White Store, Tip Keller, Dye Service Station and Paul Jones.

Games will extend for sixteen Sundays until September 2, but members of the league will play only fourteen matches. July 8 and 15 have been left open for non-league games or for those either rained out or postponed.

Championship of the league will be determined by the percentage method of wins over losses. The team having the highest percentage at the end of the season will be declared league champion and will go to St. Louis September 24 to meet victors in four other eastern Missouri leagues for district championship games. Then that winner will play one from the western Missouri division for a State championship tournament.

The Alma Mater

75 In Eighth Grade Will Get Diplomas

The following eighth grade graduates will receive certificates at the annual high school commencement exercises which will be held at 8 o'clock Monday evening in the high school auditorium:

Girls
Evelyn E. Baker
Dessie D. Bartlett
Deloris E. Beal
Lavada Beck
Jewell J. Bishop
Mary Ovidia Boardman
Ruby Carrethers
Doris D. Comer
Ida Louise Cravens
Erna V. Cunningham
Neomi Marie Dillard
Peggy Ann Donnell
Eleanor Hahn
Marjorie Hocker
Johnnie L. Hutchinson
Monica Kaiser
Grace Louise Lambert
Goldie Irene Leach
Louise Loebe
Virginia L. Matthews
Juanita Glenda Mills
Aileen McCoy
Mary Louise Nickell
Winnie Sailors
Florence Shuffit
Florence Shuppert

Boys
Paul David Allen
G. C. Baker, Jr.
Dennis Bates
Charles Beal
Charles H. Bolden
Paul Bowman Jr.

Charles C. Branum
Albert G. Canoy
Harold W. Carmody
Leo Comstock
James Dodson
Robert Dover
Dempsey Gardner
Gene Grant
Sherman E. Grant
Woodrow W. Gwaltney
Mearl Hale
Jake Hart
J. N. Hitchcock
Andrew James Kappler
Melvin D. Korngesser
Roscoe La Grand
Bruce Lambert
Ellsworth Long
Tommy Marshall
Edward C. Matthews
Robert S. Matthews
Ray Allen Moll
Lawrence McClellan
Purvis Orrel
Albert Poe
Joe Powers
Wayman Pratt
Eben Rodgers
John R. Shuppert
Paul H. Skidmore
Ralph Stephens
Trentis Stovall
Fonnie Swaim
Charles Tanner
Claude Turner
Roy Wagner, Jr.
Floyd Widows
Edward Williams

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Senior Play Cast Gives Superior Performance

Grasping the spirit of "Nancy's Private Affair," the senior members of the cast carried the play with rollicking gaiety at a fast tempo to present a well-rounded, pleasing performance at the high school auditorium Tuesday evening.

The story is not new; neither is it very credible. It concerns a young woman, who, because she wears horn-rimmed spectacles, woolen stockings, and heavy underwear, loses her husband to a flibberigibbet after three and a half years of marriage.

At the end of a stormy marriage, Nancy Gibson, decides to allow her husband, Donald, the divorce which he wants and then to lure him back with traditional feminine tricks.

Three months later she returns, sans spectacles, sans woolen stockings and heavy underwear, blossoming in Paris finery, to meet and spar with Donald's fiancée, Peggy Preston, and her mother, Mrs. Jane Preston. With the aid of an imposter, she manages to reveal to her former husband the mercenary qualities of her rivals, and with her clothes and wiles, to recapture him.

Playing with a maturity marked by ease and comprehension of lines, Harry Harty, as Ross, the playwright and friend of Donald and Nancy, was easily the most notable of a competent cast. Ann Adams' Nancy was dejected or smartly crisp as situations in her role demanded, and Adagene Bowman made of Sally Lee a thorough and natural human being.

Hazel Young as Peggy, and Mary Hunter, as her mother, played their dual roles of cultivated society people and grasping gold-diggers convincingly, as did Chas. Allen Cook, who played the part of the much bandied about husband. Danny Malone portrayed the imposter, Sir Guy, and Rex Joyce as Henry, a butler, and Mildred Baker as Norah, a maid, appeared briefly during the performance.

The settings were well-appointed, and with the possible exception of one person, all members of the cast could be heard distinctly. Miss Frances Burch directed "Nancy's Private Affair," and Marshall Wilson and Gerald LaForte served as stage managers.

Between the first and second acts a sextet, composed of Gwendolyn Duncan, Laverne Canoy, Louis Ellen Tanner, Mary Emma Powell, Ellen Davey and Ruth Bloomfield, sang "Around the Gypsy Fire."

Dust Storms Worst In Missouri History

High temperatures prevailed during the first four or five days of the week ending Tuesday, according to Roscoe Nunn, St. Louis meteorologist, with brisk, drying winds. On the 10th and 11th occurred probably the most severe duststorm of record in Missouri.

Good rains, averaging 1.34 inches for the entire State, fell, however, and though the amounts varied greatly in different sections, the moisture was beneficial in all parts of Missouri.

Crops responded immediately to the rain after making only poor to fair progress previously. Early planted corn should now grow rapidly, and good germination is insured for lately planted corn.

Nunn says. On the whole, the present prospects for corn are very good.

Conditions were becoming critical for wheat in many fields, but the rains came in time to be of great benefit. Wheat is variable in height, and some is arriving at heading time rather short. The most advanced wheat is beginning to head.

Oats, alfalfa, pastures, and garden truck are generally backward, according to Nunn, but should make excellent progress. Cotton is doing well. The apple crop promises to be fair to good, but in some places it is said to be very light. Peaches are rather scarce.

SIKESTON HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

Sunday morning, May 20—11 o'clock—Baccalaureate Processional—Holy, Holy Holy "Twilight" Girls' Glee Club

Prayer "Dearest Lord Jesus" Glee Club

Scripture Reading Solo—"Trusting Him" Miss Louise Blount

Sermon "Onward Christian Soldier" Rev. E. H. Orear

Doxology Benediction Recessional—"Onward Christian Soldier"

Monday Evening, May 21st, 8:00 O'clock, Graduation Processional—"America, the Beautiful"

Invocation "Will of the Wisp" Spross

"Morning" Oley Speaks

Address President Southeast Missouri Teachers' College

Solo Presentation of Diplomas, High School Entrance Certificates, Awards, Honors

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FIELD DAY MEETING

The second annual Field Day to be held at the Experiment Station four miles north of Sikeston on Highway 61 will be held the first week in June. At this time, Professor H. H. Krusekopf and Prof. B. M. King of the College of Agriculture will be present and visits will be made to the various plots and results of the past four years' work will be given.

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

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Miss Mosley swore out a complaint against the two for the alleged offense, which is said to have been committed in Sikeston the night of May 5, last Saturday. They were released on bonds of \$2500 apiece.

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Ruddell Says We May Learn From Africans

We may learn much from a knowledge of prevalent conditions in Africa. Major Thomas A. Ruddell told members of the Lions Club and their friends Wednesday noon.

"There," he said, "Rebecca is still at the well and David is tending his flocks. Now, however, he doesn't use a slingshot but an ancient rifle. Aside from that there is no change, either in costume or custom. The people have been functioning as their ancestors, resisting change. They are in a rut."

"But we have been in a rut," he added. "We have been doing business as our forefathers did. Hy-podermic injections have kept us from catastrophe. Disregard statements like 'Prosperity is just around the corner,' he said. 'We must wait for it. We must study the conditions in which we live and effect changes by evolution, not revolution.'"

Other peoples have, perhaps, discouraged progress in northern Africa. First they took slaves from Africa, then Africa from the Africans. Major Ruddell said. It was probably easier because they are naturally backward.

"Allah wills it," they say of circumstances or deeds.

But if they are backward they are also treacherous. Major Ruddell has seen tribesmen torture their prisoners, almost skinning them alive, or burying them in sand to their necks and then spreading honey on their faces to attract insects, or mutilating them.

Major Ruddell was himself captured, but after a long quiz by an Egyptian Arab, who tested his knowledge of English, he convinced the tribesmen that he was an American. At that time Woodrow Wilson was universally considered as the future savior of small nations. Consequently, Major Ruddell was treated with kindness, and at the end of three weeks' captivity, he was exchanged for a sheik, who, he made clear to his audience, is not a young romantic lover, but an old man, or leader, with a beard.

He told of a captured Italian who claimed to be an American so that he, too, would be well-cared for. Only one member of the tribe which held him, had even a slight knowledge of English. Nevertheless, the Italian was questioned by this man. Fortunately, the prisoner had memorized a few words from tourist folders, which have printed in various languages phrases necessary for travelers in foreign countries. The Italian spoke in the following manner: "Waiter, will you bring me ham and eggs. Tickets at station?"

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"People who have been complaining of the tough times of the past four years don't know what tough times are," says Colonel Chailey Blanton of The Sikeston Standard. "I was talking to Ed Crowe of the Dexter Statesman the other day, and Ed told me that when he was a boy down in old Kentucky his maw used to get him up in the morning and say to him, 'Now, Edmund, you run right down to the creek and wash your face and hands and then climb that 'sumner tree and get your breakfast.' Ed told me that he practically lived on 'summons up to the time he got his first pair of shoes—and that didn't happen until he was 22 or 23. I guess things used to be pretty tough. Anyway, he was—K. C. Democrat."

She raised her eyes—he arched his nose—now they're raising the roof in one of the biggest and best remanances of all time!—Sunday and Monday, Malone Theatre.

SEMI-SCHOOLS PREPARE FOR CLOSING EXERCISES

With the closing of grammar and high schools throughout Southeast Missouri preparations have been completed for final activities and baccalaureate and commencement exercises.

At Fomfelt, when the high school graduation ceremony was held Thursday evening, Dr. S. A. Kruse, a member of the faculty of the Southeast Missouri Teachers' College in Cape Girardeau, addressed the thirteen seniors. Tonight, Thomas Bellas, also of the Teachers' College faculty, will speak at the grade school commencement.

Other events in the closing of high school included the junior-senior dinner last Thursday night, a baccalaureate sermon delivered by the Rev. Wade Freeman, pastor of the Baptist church, on Sunday, and a declamation contest, sponsored by the board of education Monday night.

Rosa Lee Shober was the highest ranking senior and Lilfret Hardin was president of the class. Other members were Lester Sherfield, Louis Statler, Lester Klemens, Joe Mirgeaux, William Hughes, Ruth Drexler, Cleda Eifert, Alberta Spradlin, Hester Ross, Marjorie Welter and Allen Hoffman.

Commencement exercises for thirty-one members of the Chaffee high school graduating class were held Thursday evening at the high school gymnasium. At the baccalaureate services Sunday morning, the Rev. F. Ernest Bray, pastor of the First Baptist church, preached to the students.

The eighth grade graduation ceremony was also held Thursday evening. The grammar school's annual play was presented on the grade school grounds last Friday afternoon.

Forty graduates of the Charleston high school heard an address by G. W. Stephens, dean of students at Washington University in St. Louis, at their commencement Thursday evening. Scholarship medals and awards were also presented and members of the girls' glee club sang that night when the students received their diplomas from Robert L. Fowlkes, president of the board of education.

Commencement week was opened in Charleston Sunday, when the Rev. Allen B. Cooper, pastor of the First Baptist church, delivered a baccalaureate sermon and numbers were given by the glee club. Tuesday evening the senior play, "Polly With a Past," was performed, and Wednesday night the junior-senior banquet was held at the high school auditorium.

Thursday, too, thirty-five students of the eighth grade were given certificates by A. D. Simpson, superintendent of Charleston schools.

The year's term of the Blodgett high school ended last Friday evening when Roy V. Ellise, superintendent of Sikeston schools, spoke to the twenty-one members of the graduating class and several special numbers were given.

Members of the class were Ruby Pearl Fitzpatrick, Imogene Watkins, Elsie Mae Collier, Helen Nichols, Helen Forrest, Joe Bill Michael, Janet Cunningham, Jack Sneed, Elba Jo Malone, Rosemary Smith, Jack Laughlin, Edward Michael, Katherine Savannah Pobs, Bessie Lorene Burton, Stella May Clayton, Mary Josephine

BUY NOT, EAT NOT

By BOOTH TARKINGTON

Sometimes we have to go against our training or go broke. Sometimes what we have always believed to be a rule of virtuous conduct proves fatal in practice. For instance, we have grown up in the belief, fostered by our parents and teachers and enforced by our government, that we have no right to take or use the property of another person without his consent, but if the property in question happens to be a blackjack that the other person is about to bring down on my head I shall have a better chance of surviving if I perceive, in time, the unwisdom of clinging unalterably to old convictions. That is, there are times of emergency when clinging to an old conviction will be ruinous. Let us consider the present time in its relation to our old conviction in favor of thrift.

People of pioneer stock are often spoken of as the "backbone of the country," and probably they are. Pioneers are thrifty or they don't survive. If the wood pile is used too freely in the autumn it may not last through the winter, and the Midland child learned thrift at its grandmother's knee. Moreover, we've been taught for several generations that it isn't what a man earns that counts and takes care of him in his old age; it's what he saves. We've always believed that thrift is a virtue, that spending is risky and that squandering is suicidal. We demand thrift from our government, vote against political candidates proven unthrifty, and we investigate, and often relegate to private life, officials shown to be carelessly lavish with public funds. The value of thrift, indeed, is one of our strongest convictions. No one doubts that it is a right and useful conviction or that it would be dangerous to unsettle it; but here is the United States government coming to us now, asking us to buy, buy, buy, advising us to spend our money rather than to save it, and generally appearing to set itself strongly in opposition to that old principle of thriftiness in which we were trained. There seems to be a contradiction somewhere.

Moreover, the government asks us to spend at a time when we have the least to spare, at a time when the Federal government itself, as well as our State, county and city governments, are taking heavily from us in taxes and in that way lessening our power to spend. Worse still, our government, through the N.R.A., asks us to spend at a moment of great financial uncertainty in our lives, at a moment when we don't know whether we're emerging from the depression or going deeper into it, and when we aren't sure whether we're less afraid of the future than we were a year ago, or more so. The curious thing about the government's exhortation to us to spend is that the exhorters know how we feel and how we're situated; they know our old conviction in favor of thriftiness and they agree with that conviction—and yet these same exhorters ask us to buy, buy, buy!

What's the answer? Money is a means of trade. If you had a cord of wood and no food, and your neighbor had a cellar full of potatoes and no fuel, and if neither of you were willing to trade, he'd have raw potatoes to eat but he'd freeze to death, and you'd have heat enough perhaps, but you'd starve to death. Thrift is indeed a virtue; but this is a time of emergency during which it's necessary to buy goods so that somebody'll have money enough to pay us for what we produce. If it's hard for us to get rich by washing one another's shirts, it's certainly impossible for us to make a living by washing our own. It seems wiser to live by spending than to perish by saving.

tation of diplomas by Everett Reeves.

There were forty-nine students in the graduating class, which was headed by Damon Bernard. Harry Dickman was valedictorian and Faye Bradsher salutatorian.

Other events on the commencement program at Caruthersville included an annual alumni banquet last Thursday evening and baccalaureate exercises Sunday morning. At the latter, the Rev. D. K. Foster spoke on "Invisible Origins". The invocations, scripture reading, prayer and benediction were given by the Revs. D. K. Foster, J. L. Cox, W. W. Gray and C. C. Barnhardt.

Sam M. Phillips, a member of the first graduating class of the Malden high school forty years ago, addressed Malden seniors at their commencement exercises Thursday evening. In addition to Mr. Phillips' talk, students presented a short musical and literary program. At the baccalaureate services at the Christian church Sunday President Deering of Oakland College, a leader in the General Baptist church, preached.

Dr. W. W. Parker spoke at the thirty-second annual commencement exercises of the Doniphan high school held in the auditorium last Thursday evening. The Rev. D. W. Jones gave an invocation, a quartet sang, the principal, O. J. Dunn, presented scholarship letters, and S. H. Lawrence, vice-president of the school board, gave diplomas to the thirty-one graduates.

Graduation week events will be held later at Kennett than in most other towns. Thirty-seven seniors will go to the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday to hear the Rev. F. M. Love, pastor of the church, preach the baccalaureate. Friday evening, May 25, they will be addressed at commencement by Dr. Parker.

Romance—adventure—laughter—and it all happens under his very nose!—Malone Theatre, Sunday and Monday.

SUNDAY DINNER SUGGESTIONS

By ANN PAGE

If you like orange marmalade why not make it yourself of the fine cheap oranges or equally good grapefruit now in market? A favorite recipe uses one orange, one grapefruit and one lemon. Strawberries are also of good quality and moderately priced.

The vegetable stores are full of unusually fine vegetables, all reasonable or low in price. New cabbage, California Brussels sprouts, broccoli and cauliflower are all choice quality. String beans and spinach are winter standbys whose price fluctuates more or less according to weather conditions but they are always reasonable and often cheap. Green peas and lima beans are more expensive but are still moderately priced. Tomatoes are increasingly plentiful and cheaper week by week. Many salad plants are available including lettuce, endive, watercress, cucumbers, radishes and shallots.

The Quaker Maid suggests the following Sunday dinners planned to fit different budgets.

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R. J. & R. TAKES PETERS FROM FIRST POSITION

By Leo Smith

The Peters team lost hold of first place when it was defeated by R. J. & R. by a score of 8 to 7, Friday.

The two teams are now tied for second place, Friedman-Shelby team moving up in first place, while the Vitality team is in last place.

Hodges was the leading hitter for the winners, getting two hits out of three times at bat, while manager Sexton was leading hitter for his team, getting two hits out of four times at bat.

E. Williams hit a triple for the winners, as did Moody for the losers. The R. J. & R. team also completed two double plays.

The game scheduled for Monday between Vitality and Peters teams was called off in the first inning—with two men out and no scores. This game will be played at a later date.

The score:
Peters.....7 7 5
R. J. & R.....8 8 4

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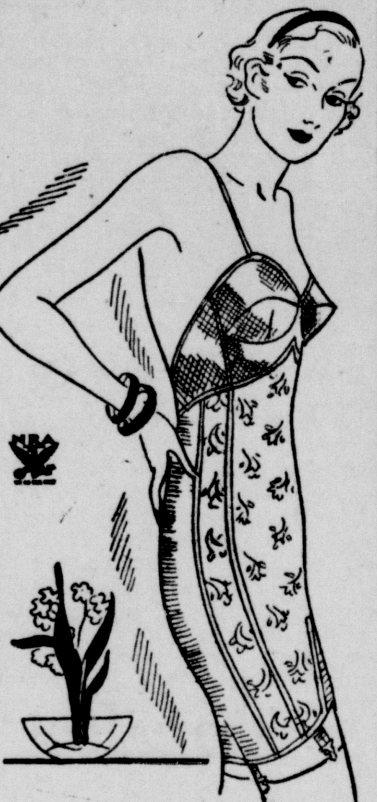
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The Tickville Banker's daughter stopped at the Postoffice Monday. Clab Hancock said nothing more than a skimpy strip of leather and a little sentiment seemed to be keeping the heels from divorcing the toe parts of her slippers.—Commercial Appeal.

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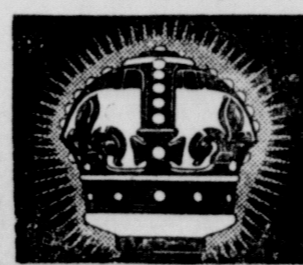
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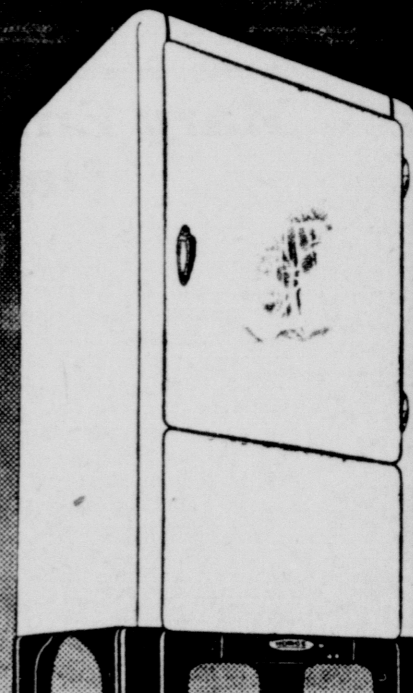
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LITTLE AMERICA, ANTARCTICA, May 7 (via Mackay Radio)—These meteor showers are beautiful. We have been watching them every night since April 19. At first the atmosphere was murky and visibility low. Recently, however, the air has cleared and the heavens have put on a wonderful show for us.

On the science building, Bill Haines, of Washington, D. C., our meteorologist, and the other scientists have built an observation turret of pyral glass which is light and won't break. In this turret four of the science fellows sit on a revolving platform and each checks up all night on the shooting stars he observes in one quadrant of the sky. This is being done under the direction of Dr. Thomas C. Poulter, chief of our group of 13 scientists, who is in command here while Admiral Byrd is off in his hut 123 miles away. At home Dr. Poulter is head of the science department of Iowa Wesleyan College, at Mount Pleasant, Iowa. In this meteor shower observation business down here he is working with fifty meteorological stations throughout the world and a lot of new knowledge of Celestial ways should come of it.



MIKE
One of our team leaders.

Our daily routine is all in working shape now. We rise at 7, get into frozen clothes, thaw ourselves out a bit and have breakfast at 7.30. By 8.30 we are at work. Luncheon happens at 12.30 and dinner at 5.30. For breakfast we have dry or cooked cereal with real cream and milk from our own cows, hot cakes or bacon and eggs, and coffee. Luncheon is a buffet affair, usually of sandwiches, soup and coffee. Dinner is our biggest meal, with

soup, beef, lamb, or seal meat, two vegetables, dessert and coffee or cocoa. Not much starving down here as yet.

There are few regulations in this camp but those few are strictly enforced. We are all adults, on a serious mission, and there is no great need of discipline. We are allowed no meals except at regular hours. Of course, when parties come in off the trails hungry they are fed right away or as soon as Al Carbone, of Cambridge, Mass., can get something ready. Everybody must get up for breakfast. There is no lingering in bed, as much as we would like to stay in our warm cocoon-like sleeping bags for a few extra winks. Those who are already up and freezing can't bear the sight of others still enjoying the luxury of the bags and soon haul them out. Exceptions to this are F. Alton Wade, of West Hollywood, Calif., a geologist without any rocks to study, who is acting as our night watchman, and Clay Bailey, of Brawley, Calif., our chief radio operator, who is always on radio watch at night.

No men are allowed away from the station alone. They might get lost too easily in a sudden blizzard in the Antarctic darkness. It is not absolutely black night here all the time yet. We get a sort of grayish shadow for about three hours a day which the veterans tell me is daylight. Maybe somebody experienced in London fogs might recognize it as daylight. I don't. All lights must be out by 10.30 p. m. It's a good healthy life. I like it and am thriving on it.

If you wish to join our fast-growing club, without cost or obligation, and get a membership card, big free working map of Antarctica and, later, a handsome lapel button, write to me at our American headquarters. Simply send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Arthur Abele, Jr., President, Little America Aviation and Exploration Club, Hotel Lexington, 48th Street and Lexington Avenue, New York, N. Y. If you are a teacher or leader of another organization, send names and home addresses of self and members and a 3-cent stamp for each, and everything will be sent to you and the members immediately. If you're a teacher enrolling a class you'll get a direct personal radio message from Admiral Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ellis and daughter, Mrs. Wm. Vinson, are spending a few days in St. Louis.

Mrs. John Cobbs' condition remains about the same. The St. Louis Standard, \$2.00 a year.

Many Attend Dinner for Harry C. Blanton

By Robert Johnson

Attorneys and business men of Southeast Missouri gathered Monday evening to pay tribute to an outstanding son of outstanding parents.

They ate a dinner in the basement of the Methodist Episcopal church, and then they listened while several of Harry Blanton's friends spoke of him quietly, revealing his character and accomplishments.

As toastmaster, George Kirk related jokes and introduced the speakers, who in turn told amusing stories before they talked of the new United States district attorney for eastern Missouri. The meeting was informal and pleasant, fitting for an occasion to compliment a man who has brought honor to himself and his community.

C. L. Blanton was there, sitting near his son, and when he was asked to speak after the others had finished, he said that he appreciated the testimonial meeting. Harry had always been a fine son, Mr. Blanton said. He had been a man since he was very young. He worked hard. But Mr. Blanton disclaimed credit for the position which Harry Blanton now holds. The son had been aided immeasurably by his mother, he said. Many were sorry that Mrs. Blanton could not have attended the banquet.

Orville Zimmerman of Kennett spoke first. "I join with Southeast Missouri and Sikeston to bid goodspeed to Harry while he serves his State and fellow citizens," he said. During the last two decades we have been witnessing great changes, he added. There have been kidnappings, thievery, murders. The people require a strong man to protect them. "Harry can do it," Mr. Zimmerman said.

The businesses, lands, and banks are important to a community, but more important still is the citizenry. Southeast Missouri has the highest type of people, he said. Harry is an outstanding example.

"Southeast Missouri will always be proud of Harry," said Richard Baynes of New Madrid, who spoke after Mr. Zimmerman. "His integrity has never been questioned. There is no stain on his character, either as a lawyer or as a man. He has ever been outstanding, one of the shining stars of the district." Mr. Baynes has known Harry Blanton for numerous years, for the two began practicing law at about the same time.

E. M. Munger of Chaffee characterized the meeting as a splendid exhibition of love and friendship for Harry Blanton. "Sikeston appreciates his talent and studiousness," he said, "as do members of the Southeast Missouri bar, which is as intelligent and honest as any."

Mr. Munger, who has been a friend of Mr. Blanton ever since he came to the bar, has found his fellow lawyer always the same, he said. Mr. Munger met him in 1919 at the end of the war, and together they went with their post to Jefferson City. Later Mr. Munger watched while Mr. Blanton served with distinction as commander in Missouri of the American Legion.

He became district attorney, Mr. Munger said, largely because of his determination and because he was reared in a fine town and with a lovely family. A Judge Frank Kelly of Cape Girardeau told of the work which Mr. Blanton will have to accomplish in his position while Americans are growing a new conscience and are forming a new social and economic status and a standard of living. "The district attorney will have plenty to do," he said, reviewing the recent activities of criminals and business czars, of the trials of men prominent in church and industry, of the facts revealed during government investigations.

Dr. Z. Lee Stokely of Poplar Bluff said the men had heard enough of Harry Blanton. He would not speak. Rather he proposed that the friends present stand in tribute to "the hero and heroine who were Harry Blanton's parents". The men stood.

"Honor comes to a man because he lives right," Russell Deamont of Cape Girardeau said, "because his past actions justify placing him in a position of responsibility. Harry was a patriot, serving his country willingly. He has been distinguished in the political life of Scott County, Southeast Missouri, and the entire State, he said, for he has served as chairman of the county Democratic committee, as chairman of the 14th district

committee, and is now district attorney.

"He has played an important part in the civic life of Sikeston", Mr. Deamont said. He has been public spirited, and is a lawyer of great ability because of his quiet, unassuming manner, because he has been honorable, valuable, studious, and thorough.

When the speakers had concluded, Mr. Blanton was called. "Of course, I appreciate this honor more than I can tell you," he said. "But credit is due to the loyal support of my friends and the help and co-operation of my father, my mother, and my wife. The honor of the office goes to Southeast Missouri," he said. "Only a small part to me. I hope that at the end of my term I can turn to you and still have your love and affection."

Details were arranged by a committee of the Chamber of Commerce, which sponsored the banquet. Before the dinner a short prayer was given by Frank Larr and the men sang "America". Mrs. O. T. Elder played the piano and her son, Charles Allen Cook, sang "My Mother's Eyes".

About seventy-five were present. Among the men from out-of-town who attended the banquet were Harry Newman, district manager of the Missouri Utilities Co., Charles Boutin and A. W. Barry, associates of the Southeast Missouri Telephone Company; Russell Deamont, Judge Frank Kelly, Albert Spradling, James Finch, Jr., and Burette Oliver, attorneys, all of Cape Girardeau; T. A. Wilson, secretary of the State Highway Commission, Jefferson City; E. F. Sharp and Richard Baynes, attorneys of New Madrid; Geo. Munger, attorney, Bloomfield; Probate Judge O. L. Spencer, Ray Lucas, and Steve Barton, attorneys, and M. E. Montgomery, Scott County prosecuting attorney, all of Benton; C. R. Lorton, an associate of the Missouri Utilities Company, Dexter; E. M. Munger,

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The 140th Infantry, consisting of 1122 officers and enlisted men, is represented in Caruthersville, Hayti, Charleston, Chaffee, Marsington, Steele, Poplar Bluff, Farmington, Doniphan, Bloomfield, Kennett, Dexter, Fostus, DeSoto, Berne and West Plains.

Other units which will be at Camp Clark include the 110th Engineers of Kansas City, the 138th Infantry of St. Louis, the 35th division tank corps, and the 70th Infantry headquarters company of St. Joseph.

Capt. R. R. Reed heads the Sikeston unit. The commanding of-

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It was our pleasure to carry flowers Thursday morning to a very splendid woman who has had a long siege of illness but who is now convalescing. This visit, we trust, was encouraging to the patient and we known down in our heart we felt a better man. You know we believe each of us was placed on earth by God for some particular purpose and if it be His wish that we grow flowers for, and visit the sick, it will be one of the greatest pleasures of life.

The Standard editor hasn't much sense, but enough to not criticize or comment on any of the entrants in the beauty contest Wednesday night. They all looked good to us—some better than others. Sally Rand wouldn't have looked much better, fan or fanless.

An upheaval has taken place in the Methodist church of this city. The superintendent of the Sunday school has resigned. The teacher of the men's Bible class has resigned. It is now hoped that a genuine revival will follow with Brotherly Love and the Golden Rule combined as the motto. What the Protestant churches now need more than anything else is Old Fashioned Religion and less religion to be in the social swim or for business purposes alone.

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CHEVROLET MEN TO ATTEND MEETINGS

Clay A. Mitchell, H. G. Sharp, and L. L. Conatzer, will leave here today for a meeting of Chevrolet zone and regional sales promotion managers which will be held at 1 o'clock on the Tri-State Fair Grounds in Memphis.

At this session James Purcell will speak and men attending will discuss marketing low-priced automobiles. Afterward they may attend the Cotton Carnival, now being held, and attend a ball to-night at Ellis Auditorium, where Guy Lombardo and his Royal Canadians will play.

Friday, too, Earl Limbaugh, shop foreman at Mitchell-Sharp Chevrolet Company, will go to Malden for an all-day meeting of Chevrolet service men.

WATTS TO BECOME FRISCO AGENT HERE

O. N. Watts, of West Memphis, Ark., has accepted the position as Frisco agent here and will arrive Saturday to assume duties as head of the railway's Sikeston station.

Mr. Watts has been connected with the Frisco railroad for approximately thirty years. He has held positions in Hayti as agent, in Chaffee, as dispatcher and then chief dispatcher and later served as assistant superintendent of the River and the Eastern divisions.

When the number of assistant superintendents was reduced, he went to West Memphis, Ark., as agent for the company. Watts has a wife, two daughters, and one son.

John LaFont, telegraph operator here, has been acting agent in Sikeston since the death of W. T. Malone in St. Louis, April 12.

ACCUSED PRISONER STOPS JAIL BREAK

Elmer Driskill, said to be the confessed killer of Lum Mills, a fisherman, on the floodway thirteen miles northeast of Hayti Saturday, stopped a planned escape at the Caruthersville jail Tuesday, when he discovered a rope made of blankets being lowered from an upstairs window.

Driskill called the sheriff, who posted deputies around the jail building and so prevented four prisoners from fleeing through a window which they had pried open.

Pulses throb; hearts thrill; thousands cheer; as Durante for the first time parades his suppressed desires!—Malone Theatre, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Smith and daughters, Vernetta, Mary Ethel and Shirley Jean, expect to spend the week-end in Potosi, visiting relatives.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school—9:45.
11:00 a. m. Preaching Services. Morning service will be dismissed for baccalaureate exercises.
6:45 p. m.—Epworth Leagues.
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship—Sermon by the pastor.
Subject: "Blessed are the Peacemakers, or the Golden Gospels".

E. H. Orear, Pastor

SACRED MUSIC CONCERT TO BE SUNDAY NIGHT INSTEAD OF SUNDAY P. M.

A concert of sacred music to have been held at the local Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock, has been postponed until 7:45 that evening at which time it will be held during the regular preaching service. A short meditation on "The Gospel Music" will be given by Mrs. Leslie Garrison following which the program will be turned over to Carroll Rowe, who is in charge of the concert. Special numbers will be rendered by the male quartet of Herrin, Ill., members of which will also render solos, duets, etc. Numbers will also be furnished by the girls' sextet of this city and by a young ladies' duet. The public is invited to attend this service and enjoy these gospel hymns.

W. C. T. U. MEDAL WINNERS ANNOUNCED

The contestants to receive medals given by the W. C. T. U. this year for the best essay on "Scientific Temperance" are as follows:
Senior—Orville Lumsden
Junior—Mary Margaret Russell
Sophomore—Esther Duncan
Freshman—Essie Mae Ward
Eighth grade—Peggy Donnell
Seventh grade—Ruth Hollingsworth
Sixth grade—John Ponder
Fifth grade—Vanita Noyes

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

"Lord what a change within us
One short hour spent in Thy presence will avail to make"
Morning worship—9:00.
Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Meaning of the Church".
Everybody not otherwise engaged at this hour, welcome.
Sunday School, 10 o'clock.
Junior and Senior Christian Endeavor—7:00.
Evening worship—8:00.
Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Who Is Christian?"
Prayer meeting—8 o'clock every Wednesday evening.

At these meetings a study of the Old Testament by characters is being made. Sunday services will not conflict with high school baccalaureate sermon.
A cordial invitation is extended to all who can attend any or all of these services.

DORSEY D. ELLIS, Pastor

WOMAN'S CLUB TO MEET WITH MRS. NOLAND TUES.

The Woman's Club will meet Tuesday afternoon, May 22, 2:30, at the home of Mrs. J. R. Noland.

BEN JON M. S. ENOYS KID PARTY AND CARNIVAL WITH MISS PINNELL MON.

The Ben Jon Missionary Society of the local Methodist church was entertained Monday night, May 14, with a kid party and carnival at the home of Miss Edna Pinnell. Games in keeping with the object of the party were played, following which delicious refreshments were served. Three guests, Misses Louise Ankershield of Marston, Lena Matthews and Neva Mae Taylor of this city were present to enjoy the affair.

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CARD OF THANKS

Words are not sufficient to express our gratitude to our many friends who so kindly lent their assistance during illness and death of our dear mother. Especially do we thank Rev. Transue for his consoling message, and those who gave the many beautiful flowers.
Mrs. Wm. Swinney, Brothers and Sisters

BANK VAULT CONSTRUCTED

Workmen last week finished pouring the concrete for the large steel-enforced vault of the Bank of Sikeston, which will have a ten-inch Deibold door weighing 16,000 pounds and equipped with a triple time lock. The vault will be used to hold money and 500 customers' safety deposit boxes.

With the completion of the basement floor and ceiling and of foundation walls for the new structure, men will be ready the last of this week or the first of next week to start setting in place the granite for a four-foot base and the buff

brick which will constitute the outer walls of the building.

Members of the contracting concern, the St. Louis Bank Build-

ing & Equipment Company, who are supervising the work, hope to have the bank ready for occupancy by September 1.

His personality would have made a chump of Cleopatra; his wooing makes a champ of Cupid!—Sunday and Monday, Malone Theatre.

Notice of Change in Firm

This is to notify the public that C. W. Stevenson is no longer connected with our firm. The new name will be listed as

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Street Commissioner

Personal News of Sikeston

By Mrs. C. M. Harris, Phone 581

Rev. Leslie Garrison, pastor of the First Baptist church, who is conducting a revival meeting at the Watertown Baptist church, St. Louis, will close the meeting there this Sunday morning. He will stop a short while here that afternoon enroute to Poplar Bluff, where that night he will begin a three weeks' meeting there. The meeting will be held in the new

tenet tabernacle and Rev. Garrison will be assisted by Mark Short and wife. She laughed when he sat down to knock off a cadenza; and you'll roar when he sweeps the footnotes off his bed of genius to the tune of "Inka-Dinka-Do!"—Malone Theatre, Sunday and Monday. Mrs. ohn Fisher was hostess to the Tuesday Club this week.

"Laughing Boy" . . . he laughed at life until love gripped his heart.—Malone Theatre, today. Mrs. Ralph Harper entertained the Wednesday Club this week at the home of Mrs. Lee Bowman on Gladys street.

The Ebert-Keady Missionary Society of the local Methodist church met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. R. K. Bone. Mrs. W. C. Walker of Memphis, Tenn., arrived Tuesday for a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Lankford, and family. She will also attend the closing exercises of the high school, her grandson, Walter Wesley Lankford, being a member of this year's graduating class.

Civilization could never tame the love of her Indian mate.—Malone Theatre, today. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Turner and Herb Ficks went to St. Louis last Friday, where the gentlemen are transacting business. While away, Mr. and Mrs. Turner visited with relatives at Hillsboro, Illinois.

Mrs. Ben Carroll was hostess to the Jolly Twelve Club Wednesday afternoon. Eleven members and one visitor, Mrs. W. C. Walker of Memphis, Tenn., were present. Bingo was played with Mrs. Arthur Reese and Mrs. W. W. Lankford, being awarded prizes. In the contest, Mrs. Arthur Reese was winner. At the close, refreshments were served. The June meeting will be held with Mrs. Gus Schmidt.

The regular meeting of the Eastern Star Chapter will be held next Thursday night. The Co-Workers of the local Methodist church closed its year's work on Tuesday with an all-day meeting held at the home of Mrs. G. A. Dempster and was attended by thirty-five members and guests. The regular order of business was transacted with luncheon served at 12 o'clock. Later followed by a visit to the flower garden at the Dempster home. This was a very profitable and pleasant meeting and was enjoyed by all present.

The first fall meeting of the Society will be held the first Tuesday in October. Mr. and Mrs. John Dill, Mrs. Rex Cook and John and Gene Deard of Carbondale, Ill., spent last Sunday here visiting with their relatives.

Mrs. Robert Mow will entertain at bridge this afternoon (Friday). Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wilkerson, last Friday, a son, who has been named, Carl, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Jake Carroll had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weeks and family of New Madrid, Miss Edna Wright of Lilbourn, Mr. and Mrs. John Graham, Miss Virginia Branum of Duquoin, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Vester Lipe and son and John Branum of this city.

"Laughing Boy" defied the laws of his tribe . . . risking death and dishonor to have the woman he loved.—Malone Theatre, today. Mrs. R. D. Baker of Washington, D. C., formerly of this city, arrived Wednesday for a visit of a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilbur and family and other relatives. While here, Mrs. Baker will also attend to business interests.

Guaranteed permanents \$2.50. Extra special oil permanents \$5.00. —Tiny Beauty Salon, phone 2, Sikeston, Mo. When she looked up into his eyes, he looked up into his family tree and now the nuts are falling in the aisles at the lush shower of love and laughter since the worm jumped out of Eve's apple!—Malone Theatre, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dill and Mrs. Fannie Looney of Carbondale, Ill., will spend Sunday in Sikeston visiting the former's mother, Mrs. A. B. Dill and family. They will also attend the gaccalaureate services, Mr. Dill's niece, Eloise Shuppert, being one of the graduates. See Skillman on Center Street for furniture repairs. Mrs. A. N. Green and son, Arthur Walker, will leave this morning (Friday) for Memphis, Tenn., where they will join Mr. Green and make their home. The Green property on Greer avenue has been

rented to Tom Mize and family. Col. W. S. Van Dyke, greatest of all globe trotting directors, has again created a masterpiece of native life for the screen.—Malone Theatre, today. The Grover Baker's are driving a new Dodge that looks mighty spic and span. Guaranteed permanents \$2.50. Extra special oil permanents \$5.00. —Tiny Beauty Salon, phone 2, Sikeston, Mo.

Mrs. Bill Pratt, who had been a patient at the Barnard Hospital, St. Louis, arrived home Monday. Mrs. Pratt is reported as getting along nicely and will return to the hospital within a month for further treatment. Comedy . . . drama . . . pathos emotion . . . all packed into the most powerful Indian story ever brought to screen.—Malone Theatre, today.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Beasler of University City, are expected Saturday for a week's visit with the latter's sister, Mrs. F. F. Converse and Mr. Converse. Let Skillman mend your broken furniture. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Flint and daughter, Virginia of St. Louis, will arrive Saturday for the weekend visit with Mrs. H. J. Welsh and family. Sunday, Mr. Flint and family and Mrs. Welsh will leave for Annapolis, Md., where they will witness the graduation exercises at the Naval Academy. Kenneth Davis, fiancé of Miss Flint, is a member of this year's class. The party will be away two or three weeks and will visit at Washington, D. C., Mt. Vernon and other places of importance in the East while away.

Guaranteed permanents \$2.50. Extra special oil permanents \$5.00. —Tiny Beauty Salon, phone 2, Sikeston, Mo. Mrs. C. D. Matthews III and children returned Tuesday night from Arlington, Ky., where they had visited since last Friday with Mrs. Matthews' mother and aunt, Mrs. Maggie Lillard and Mrs. Anna Winchester. Byron wrote about it; Don Juan duelled over it—and now Jimmy Durante brings it to you, LOVE, in all the ruddy glow of a rouge-

colored beak of genius!—Sunday and Monday, Malone Theatre. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wilson left Wednesday for their home in Jefferson City, after a visit here with their relatives. Dr. L. O. Rhodes accompanied them on the home trip as far as Mexico, Mo., where he will visit for two weeks with his brother, Dr. Ned Rhodes. You may not know who originally built it, but let Skillman rebuild it and know you are getting the best in workmanship.

The W. B. A. Friendship Circle met Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Lige Imman. Guaranteed permanents \$2.50. Extra special oil permanents \$5.00. —Tiny Beauty Salon, phone 2, Sikeston, Mo. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stevenson were business visitors in Clarkton and Lilbourn, Wednesday. Don't destroy that broken furniture. Let Skillman rebuild it at a small cost. Dr. Campbell and Miss Lucille Howlett of Wardell visited at the Moore Greer home, here last Friday evening.

History doesn't record a love as great; hysteria never for a minute lets you recall a serious moment in the screen's best date—Durante and Velez—they'll strike you pink!—Sunday and Monday, Malone Theatre.

Mrs. Sam Hall of St. Louis is visiting Mrs. E. G. Buchanan.

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Sikeston's divot diggers knocked Dexter off the top rung of the ladder, where they held a tie position with Sikeston, by a rather decisive defeat.

The match was played on Dexter's grounds, and again Sikeston's junior golfer sharks were left out of the line-up. Dexter was able to win only five of the 21 matches, the score resulting in a 40 to 17 victory for Sikeston.

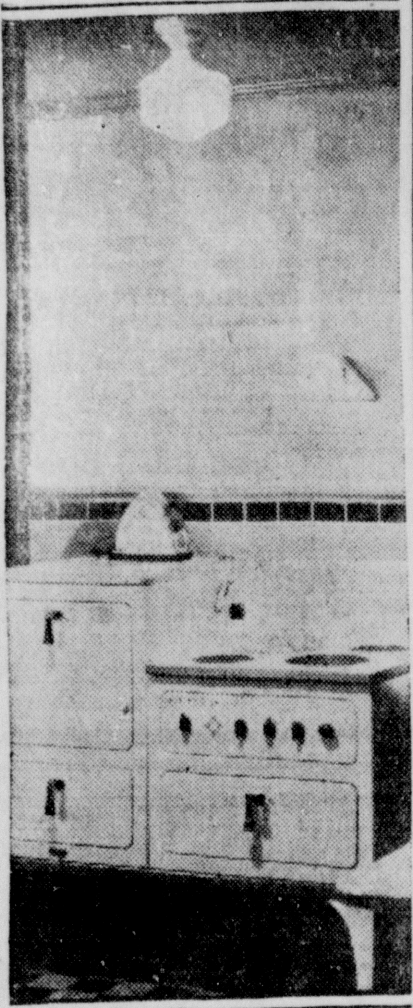
Bill Malone burned up the Dexter course with a par breaking 69—one under perfect scores. Clarence Scott was close behind with two perfect rounds of 35 each—for a 70. L. Bowman with a 73, Paul Galloway with a 76, Billy Keith, Peg Mahew and Pete Medley with 78's, were the next best shooters. Fred Smith, with a 73, was the best Dexter scorer.

The scores:

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| Bill Malone | 69 | 3 |
| Geo. Siler | 78 | |
| D. L. Fisher | 84 | 3 |
| Reas Lurt | 106 | |
| C. C. Scott | 70 | 3 |
| R. Siler | 74 | |
| Jim Sidwell | 86 | 3 |
| N. W. Gill | 106 | |
| L. Bowman | 73 | 1 |
| Fred Smith | 73 | 1 |
| Murray Phillips | 86 | |
| M. Siler | 76 | 3 |
| P. Galloway | 76 | 3 |
| Jim Buck | 87 | |
| H. Hart | 87 | 1 |
| H. Morgan | 81 | |
| Billy Keith | 78 | 3 |
| M. Clodfelter | 89 | |
| T. C. McClure | 88 | 2 |
| Maek Borth | 87 | 1 |
| Pete Medley | 78 | 1 |
| C. Jenkins | 78 | 1 |
| Buddy Matthews | 88 | |
| L. Seiler | 85 | 3 |
| R. Potashnick | 80 | |
| G. Ulen | 89 | 2 |
| Lee Bowman | 89 | |
| M. Hadentrower | 95 | |
| Peg Mahew | 78 | 2 |
| H. Thrower | 85 | 1 |
| Joe Matthews | 90 | |
| Lee Trammell | 89 | 2 |
| L. M. Stallcup | 83 | 3 |
| F. Leggett | 92 | |
| John Scott | 91 | 3 |
| H. Fritz | 115 | |
| Fred Rodman | 83 | 2 |

Light for the Kitchen

By Helen G. Toland



"Right light will make your stay in the kitchen brighter—and shorter," say scientists who recommend an enclosing glass globe with a 100-watt inside-frosted lamp for the center fixture, with additional lights provided at sink, range and cabinet.

No matter whether she is her own cook and bottle-washer or not, every woman who manages a home knows that some one must spend several hours of every day in the kitchen. When she knows that good lighting might cut those hours almost in half, she will never be satisfied until she has adequate lighting in her own kitchen.

Light Speeds Work

To prove to her the relation of light to work, science might tell her about the laboratory experiment in which the lighting was doubled and then doubled again, with the result that the rate of working increased 40% for slow workers, 28% for fast workers. So, if Minnie is very slow, good lighting may enable her to do in a couple of hours what she used to take a whole morning to do.

Being eminently practical, science can tell you exactly what you must put into your lighting, to get so much out of it. First comes a center fixture placed close to the ceiling, equipped with a 100-watt inside-frosted or a 150-watt daylight lamp bulb in an enclosing globe of diffusing glass.

Science bids you buy your lamp bulbs with care, for only thus can you be assured that they will be honest servants, giving you full value in light for current received. And remember that bulb finish means something, too. The blue daylight lamp bulbs provide a pure, clear quality of light, but they must be used consistently—everywhere in the kitchen or else not at all. They must also be used the next size larger than the clear or inside-frosted lamps recommended for the same place.

In itself, a lamp bulb cannot provide good light for any setting task. So, as the lamp shades are important for lighting fixtures elsewhere in the house, the enclosing glass globe is important in the kitchen. Through this, the light is sifted and softened, so that our eyes can assimilate and use it for seeing.

Keep Fixtures Clean

Science advises us further that the unit should be washed often, because if dust is allowed to accumulate on it as well as on the ceiling, you may lose as much as 40% of the light for which you are paying—in two ways. Your pocketbook is paying for current which goes into light that is absorbed by dirt, and so never reaches your eyes. Your poor charged eyes are paying too, with energy stolen from funds intended for useful work.

To speed the tasks of mixing, baking and washing up afterward, there should be additional light provided at sink, range and cabinet. At each of these places, the unit close to the ceiling, carrying a 100-watt lamp bulb (150-watt daylight) in an enclosed globe is considered most desirable, because it is overhead and out of the way.

If this additional ceiling light is not practical, a wall bracket placed above the sink, about five feet from the floor, will prove a likely substitute. The placing of this bracket—five feet from the floor—is some what lower than usual, but it will be found a source of never-ending comfort. It is annoying to have to look into a bright electric light all the time you are cooking or washing dishes. Hence the wall bracket should be placed below (or else way above) eye-level. It should carry a 60-watt inside frost (100-watt daylight) lamp bulb, with the light directed down onto the work in hand by an eggshell or bell-shaped shade, made of glass, and as easily cleaned as a china cup.

"Such lighting is bound to make one's stay in the kitchen brighter—and shorter," say scientists.

largely attended in several years. Many of the publishers of this district were at the annual Journalism Week at Columbia last week and several are attending the sessions of the National Editorial Association being held in St. Louis this week, at which the code will have a prominent place on the program.—Kennett Democrat.

LURENDA INTRODUCES NOVEL METHOD FOR FREEZING ICE CREAM

Mrs. K. has had some difficulty in finding a competent maid and cook's helper. Some have been lazy, others slow, or stupid, or all three. "I tell you, you ought to go to New Madrid if you want to find somebody to work for you," the cook said. "These women around here don't want to work."

Mrs. K., however, didn't go to New Madrid. She thought, perhaps, that eventually she would find a decent worker. Last week she hired Lurenda. "Now listen to me," she said, "and do what I say. If you pay attention you can do the work."

"Yes'm," said Lurenda. On Saturday, Mrs. K. stayed long in the kitchen, baking a cake, supervising the preparation of ducks and vegetables and dough for rolls. Besides, she mashed strawberries, getting them ready for ice cream for Sunday. But Mrs. K. had to leave.

"Take out the ice cubes," she told Lurenda, "and put the strawberry ice cream in the refrigerator so it will freeze."

"Yes'm," said Lurenda. Mrs. K. left. Lurenda went about her work. Finally, the cook noticed her.

"What'd you do with that ice cream?" she asked.

"I put it in the cooler."

"Where?" said the cook.

"In the cooler."

The cook went into the dining room and took the lid from the cooler which sits there so that diners may always have ice water. In it she saw the embryo ice cream and the mashed strawberries floating with the water. "Oh, Lord," she said.

Lurenda gathered her things and left.

Mrs. K., coming home late, found her cook's helper gone, her ice cream ruined. The cook told the story delightfully. "She tho't it was for a drink," she said.

Later, Lurenda returned for an hour. She did not stay. At mid-

H.-H. Beats Kirby 5-2 in Slow Game

A baseball team from the Morehouse Company of Himmelfarb-Harrison came here Thursday and defeated the Kirby Cafe nine, 5 to 2 in the second municipal league match.

The game was very slow, especially the first two innings, which required an hour, and only five innings were played.

P. Crain and Bennet pitched for the home team and Arterberry and Sanders for the visitors.

The score:

| H.-H. | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---------------|----|---|---|----|---|---|
| Chapman, ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Caldwell, 3b | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Clayton, 1b | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Mocabee, 2b | 3 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| McFarland, c | 2 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 1 | 0 |
| Hart, rf | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Baker, cf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| F. Bryant, lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Arterberry, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Sanders, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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|--------------|-------|---|---|----|---|---|
| Totals | 23 | 5 | 6 | 15 | 4 | 3 |
| Kirby Cafe | ..AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
| Weideman, 3b | ..3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sexton, 1b |3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |

night, Mrs. K. put a mixture for strawberry ice cream into the refrigerator. The next day it was eaten. It was very good.

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|-----------------|----|---|---|---|---|---|
| A. Williams, lf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Weeks, rf | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| B. Crain, cf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Hicks, ss | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| Ramsey, 2b | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| F. Clinton, c | 2 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| P. Crain, p | 2b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Bennet, 2b | p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

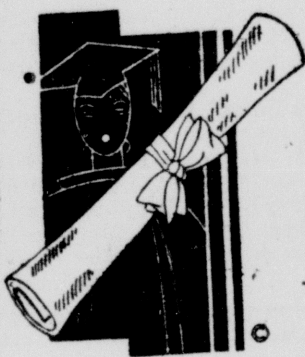
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Dan Pepper, Jr., was the guest of Pat Wilbur last Friday and Saturday. Pat returned with Dan, Jr., and his father, to their home at Lexington, Miss. He will visit them for a few days, then continue his journey by bus to Plant City, Fla., where he is enroute to spend the summer vacation with his sisters, Mrs. L. J. Prosser and Mrs. M. Peal Clark and families, and brother, R. M. Wilbur.

As a human food corn is also converted into oil and starch and into glucose, a form of sugar.

To Sikeston Graduates and All High School Pupils



We desire to thank you for the business you have favored us with during the past School Term. We have endeavored to give you the most of the best for the least. We will be waiting to serve you not only during vacation but during next term.

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Neighborhood Personal News From Big Opening

Mrs. Kirby Loftin and little son, Harvey Edward, of Detroit, Mich., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Frye and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale King spent the past week-end with relatives at Malden.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hoover and family visited relatives Sunday at Woodrow.

Those who shopped in Sikeston last Saturday were Misses Addie Hoover, Rosie Frye and Mrs. Bob Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Young and Mrs. Harry Galloway and little son, David, transacted business in New Madrid last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard DeWitt and family were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. "Dude" Parker, near Matthews.

The following were present at a Mother's Day reunion given in honor of Mrs. Sue Kem Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Kem and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lem Kem and family of Pharris Ridge.

Clyde Orr has returned to his home for the summer at Gideon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Willingham and family, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Peary and little daughter, Rita Jane, visited relatives and friends at Vanduser, Sunday.

Frank Peary is ill at this writing.

Emory Sutton of Parma spent the past week-end with Miss Mary Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie DeWitt were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frye and family.

Miss Zelpha DeWitt was the guest of Misses Ozella, Ruby and Florence Peary, Sunday.

Jim Hinkle spent the past week-end with relatives at Sikeston.

OILERS BEAT ORAN IN NEW UNIFORMS

By Leo Smith

The Simpson Oil teams started a four-run rally in the 9th inning to win over the visiting Oran Club, 8 to 7, Sunday. The game was slow and loosely played by both teams, a total of ten errors being made.

Jack Lancaster was the leading slugger for the Oilers, getting 3 hits out of 3 times at bat, a single, double and triple. Byrd also got a triple, while Poe and Leo were the leaders for the visitors, getting two out of five times at bat. Poe got a double and triple, while Leo got a single and triple. Pearson also got a triple.

The Oilers also completed two double plays—Lancaster, unassisted, and Stacy to Law to Byrd. The Oilers won their first game

in their new uniforms. The score: Oran 7 10 4 Simpson Oil 8 8 6

Sonie five thousand ducks, mostly mallards, are now resting on the waterfowl sanctuary west of Warsaw, Union Electric Company officials state. Plantings of aquatic plants are now being made to attract waterfowl this fall, it being estimated that 30,000 will adopt the Hogg Creek preserve for a resting place.

Printing was first introduced in the new world in Lima, Peru, and the first printing press was established by the Jesuits.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, by his deed of trust dated May 17, 1930, and recorded in Book 59 at page 202 of the Deed Records of Scott County, Missouri, James McPheeters, single, conveyed to the undersigned Trustee the following described real estate, lying, being and situate in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:

All of the West Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section Twenty-six (26) and all that part of the East Half of the Southwest Quarter of said Section Twenty-six (26), lying south of the branch, all in Township Twenty-eight (28) North, Range thirteen (13) East of the fifth principal meridian, containing One Hundred and Fifty (150) acres, more or less, and being all the land heretofore owned by James McPheeters in said Section at the time of said conveyance.

In trust to secure the payment of a certain note in said deed of trust fully described; and

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of said note and debt; and

WHEREAS, I have been requested by the legal holder of said note to exercise the power of same in me vested by said deed of trust.

NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that pursuant to the power in me vested in said deed of trust, and pursuant to the request of the legal holder of said note, I will, on

SATURDAY, THE 26th DAY OF MAY, 1934,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the front door of the Courthouse in the town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, sell the above described real estate at public auction for cash to the highest bidder to pay said debt and cost of this foreclosure.

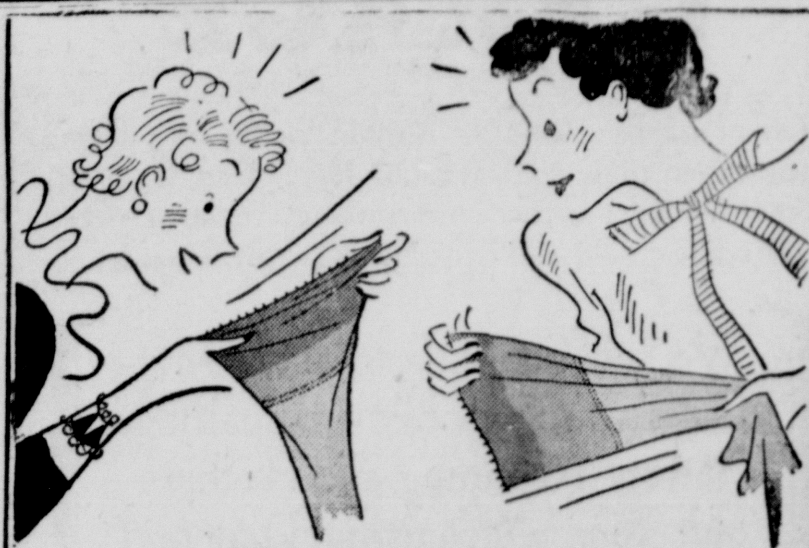
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MECHANICAL HORSES TO BE EXHIBITED AT OZARKS MARDI GRAS

J. Otto Hahs will send three of his mechanical horses to the Ozarks Mardi Gras in Poplar Bluff for an exhibition during the celebration May 24 to 26. Arrangements were completed following an invitation by the American Legion Boy Scout troop, which will sponsor the horses.

Mr. Hahs invented the ponies about two and a half years ago. In his machine shop here he made the electric motors which, with speed reducing devices, allow the mechanical animals to rack, canter, gallops, and pace and put them in the horses' bodies, whittled by hand by employees of an eastern pattern making company. Not long afterward, when he exhibited his invention at an international display of novelty amusement devices in New York City, he was awarded a trophy by a committee of judges who stated his horses were the most striking novelties shown at the exposition. Mr. Hahs now has approximately thirty mechanical ponies placed in department stores and amusement parks in seven States. This year he has set one in the Natchitoches here.

Mrs. John Scott and daughter, Maxine, left for Hot Springs.

COUNTY CLERK'S NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION

State of Missouri, County of Scott,

In the office of the county clerk. Notice is hereby given that a Primary Election will be held at the regular polling places in each voting precinct of said County of Scott, on the first Tuesday in August, 1934, being the 7th day of August, 1934, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices to be voted for at the General Election to be held on Tuesday, November 6th, 1934, to-wit:

Senator in Congress for Missouri,
Judge Supreme Court, Division No. One.
Judge Supreme Court, Division No. Two (Unexpired Term),
State Superintendent of Public Schools,
Representative in Congress for Tenth District.
Judge of the Circuit Court for the Twenty-eighth Judicial Circuit,
Member of the House of Representatives,
Presiding Judge of the County Court,
Judge of the County Court, 1st District,
Judge of the County Court, 2nd District,
Judge of the Probate Court,
Prosecuting Attorney,
Clerk of the Circuit Court,
Clerk of the County Court,
Collector of Revenue,
Recorder of Deeds,
Justice of the Peace, Commerce Township, (Two to elect),
Justice of the Peace, Kelso Township, (Three to elect, at least one of whom shall be a resident of the City of Chaffee),
Justice of the Peace, Morley Township, (Two to elect),
Justice of the Peace, Moreland Township, (Two to elect),
Justice of the Peace, Richland Township, (Three to elect, at least one of whom shall be a resident of the City of Sikeston),
Justice of the Peace, Sylvania Township, (Two to elect),
Justice of the Peace, Sandywoods Township, (Two to elect),
Justice of the Peace, Tywappity Township, (Two to elect),
Constable, Commerce Township,
Constable, Kelso Township,
Constable, Morley Township,
Constable, Moreland Township,
Constable, Richland Township,
Constable, Sylvania Township,
Constable, Sandywoods Township,
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State of Missouri, County of Scott,

I, J. Sherwood Smith, Clerk of the County Court, within and for the State and County aforesaid, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct statement of the offices to make nomination for, at the Primary Election to be held on August 7th, 1934.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the County Court. Done at office in Benton, Missouri, this 5th day of May, 1934.

(SEAL)
J. SHERWOOD SMITH,
Clerk of the County Court.
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Ark, Tuesday afternoon to be present at the wedding of Miss Elizabeth Taylor and Dean T. Carrigan which takes place Saturday. Maxine will be flower girl and a beautiful one, too.

"We", the eighth grade pupils of 1933-34, dedicate this poem to our teachers whom we appreciate very much.

GOODBYE TEACHERS

Goodbye dear teachers, we must leave you,
As we go on our way thru life,
We have misbehaved and we are sorry
But next year we will try to do right.

Our teachers have tried to be patient,
As our minds wandered off into space
Thinking of vacation, seashore and the mountains
And anything else in that case.
Goodbye Misses Goodman and Cowan,
We know we have troubled you much,
Forgive us of our mistakes Miss Davis,
For our Algebra we know will be tough.
Our English was dreadful Miss Erley,
Forgive us this once please we pray,
For our Latin is likely to be like it,
So we'll get to work and won't stop to play.
We will remember you, Miss O'Hara
Of your patience as we studied the wars
Of the fighting and bleeding for freedom
And the first great trains and cars.
We will miss our art and our writing,
Our gym and our music, too,
Goodbye Miss Schreff, we will miss you,
And goodbye Mr. Stallings, too.
"We seek higher things" is our motto,
So we must be going along,
Goodbye dear teachers we are going
Godbye dear teachers, we are gone.

—DORIS COMER,
8th grade pupil.

Primitive desire swept them into a love as wild as the Indian blood that burned in their veins.—Malone Theatre, today.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Congress—
We are authorized to announce Dr. Z. Lee Stokely, of Poplar Bluff, as a candidate for Congress from this district subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the August primary election.

We are authorized to announce Orville Zimmerman, of Kennett, as a candidate for Congress from this district subject to the will of the voters at the August primary election.

Circuit Judge—
We are authorized to announce Frank Kelly as a candidate for Judge of the 28th Judicial Circuit subject to the will of the voters of the August primary.

Probate Judge—
We are authorized to announce O. L. Spencer as a candidate for re-election to the office of Probate Judge of Scott County subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the August primary.

Circuit Clerk—
We are authorized to announce Leo J. Pfefferkorn as a candidate for re-election to the office of Circuit Clerk of Scott County subject to the will of the voters at the August Democratic primary.

For County Clerk—
We are authorized to announce J. Sherwood Smith as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Clerk on the Democratic ticket subject to the will of the voters at the August primary.

We are authorized to announce Roy A. Green as a candidate for County Clerk of Scott County subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the August primary.

Prosecuting Attorney—
We are authorized to announce W. P. Wilkerson as a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney of Scott County on the Democratic ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the August primary.

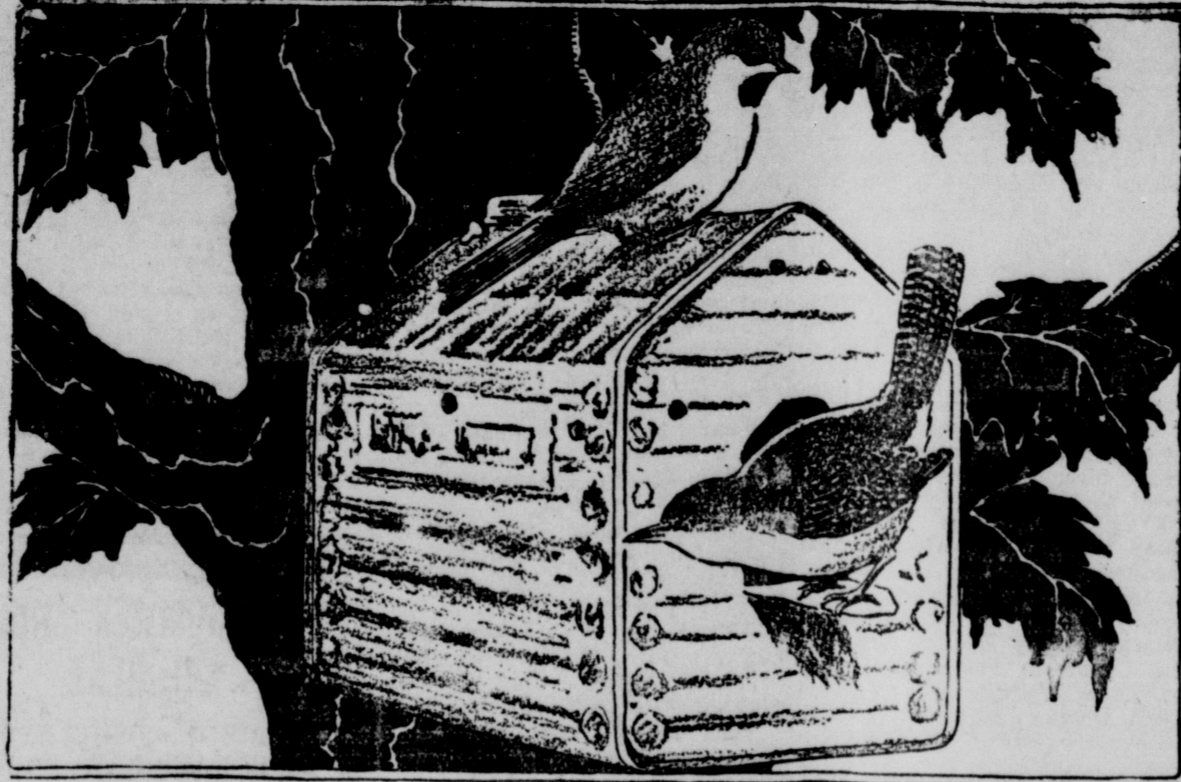
For Collector—
We are authorized to announce C. E. Felker as a candidate for the office of Collector and Ex-Officio Treasurer of Scott County on the Democratic ticket, subject to the will of the voters in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce Tom Scott as a candidate for Collector of Scott County, subject to the will of the Democratic primary to be held in August.

We are authorized to announce William Oliver as a candidate for Collector of Scott County, on the Democratic ticket, subject to the will of the voters in the August primary.

Recorder of Deeds—
We are authorized to announce H. F. Kirkpatrick as a candidate for re-election to the office of Recorder of Deeds for Scott County on the Democratic ticket subject to the will of the voters at the August primary.

We are authorized to announce Barney Forrester as a candidate for Alderman from the 3d Ward, subject to the will of the voters at the special election to be held May 15.



For Your Feathered Friends

HAS it ever occurred to you what a pleasure it would be to you and what a useful thing you would be doing if you provided safe homes like the above for the little wrens and chickadees and other small song birds who would be only too delighted to move into them this spring if they found them standing ready in your yard?

It's such a simple thing to do, too. All that is necessary is to buy a can of syrup that comes in the shape of a log cabin, cut and punch a few holes in it, and there you are! You will need a little more specific instructions, if you are attracted by the idea, however, and Mrs. Olive Benedict Coming, bird enthusiast of Lake Keuka, New York, has provided them.

How to Make the House

"After cleaning an empty tin with hot water," she says, "make a hole an inch in diameter, with a jackknife, just above the center of one of the end panels. This entrance will be large enough to admit wrens and smaller birds, but will keep out noisy sparrows. It should be in the upper half of the wall so it won't be covered when the birds build their nest inside. Cut from the top of the hole downward, and when the top and two sides of the hole are complete, bend out the flap of metal to form a perch. Smooth down the sharp corners with a file or a pair of pliers or a hammer. "After punching a few nail holes in the sides and bottom for

ventilation, plug up the chimney and fasten the cabin to a tree or building with a wooden bracket, or a piece of wire or stout cord. All birdhouses should be placed in the shade to protect nestlings from the summer sun. In a few minutes and at no expense anyone can have in this way a practical cabin for small birds which will protect these valuable and amusing neighbors from being crowded out by sparrows, other feathered hooligans or cats."

A Joyful Awakening

As a result of this small effort you will stir drowsily some morning soon in the sweet spring air, and hear a small, clear voice outside your window ejaculate: "Cheep!" This will not be a comment on your character. Far from it! It will be an expression of appreciation of your generosity in giving your small feathered friends this protection, and the result will be that you will attract to your yard one or more whole families of delightful neighbors who will provide interest and amusement for you not only this summer but for many summers to come.

Lots of people are already doing this. Mrs. Coming, for instance, has fifteen of these rustic bird cabins about her Lake Keuka cottage, and every year they are occupied by cheerful families of wrens and song birds. She doesn't have to advertise those cottages. In fact she claims that there is a waiting list. "But remember,"

she cautions you, "that it is the early birdhouse that catches the early birds!"

Of Practical Use, Too

The useful feature of this pleasant enterprise is that crop and garden pests which do about eight hundred million dollars' worth of damage every year are held at bay, according to scientists, almost wholly by our wild birds. Even a small fraction of that sum seems worth saving, so, although we have only one-tenth as many birds as we could use with profit, you can attract to your vicinity your due proportion of those that survive by the simple expedient suggested above.

For bird houses need not be elaborate or expensive to be attractive. They can successfully be made from many kinds of material which would otherwise go to waste. For the above kind, the nearest grocer is your best bet. Put the syrup inside you, and the prepared can out in your yard, and the job is done.

This movement is known as the Save the Birds Club, and its headquarters are at 6903 Seminole Avenue, Forest Hills, Long Island, New York, but there is no need to write to headquarters for further information as this story contains the complete instructions on how to make the bird houses. If you are interested in what sort of birds they will attract in your neighborhood, go to some local nature lover, or your local zoo, and either will be delighted to tell you.

Tales of Munchasen

The Tale of the Growing Fungus

Once while I was in Peru, I set out to gather various kinds of rock for testing. I had climbed to an altitude of 9000 feet when I came upon a curiously shaped rock which was holding up a larger one. Rashly I tried to knock it out. With a roar a huge landslide started rolling down the steep sides of the mountain. Instinctively I dropped and lay flat on my stomach. A slight depression in the ground protected me from the rocks rolling above. When the landslide ceased, I opened my eyes and looked at my surroundings. The depression was even deeper than I thought, being 8 feet in length and 2 feet in height. On the mountains of Peru there grows a curious mushroom called the umbrella. It is five inches in diameter, when full grown and can grow in 24 hours under the poorest conditions. A small cluster of these grew in my prison. Having a small quantity of provisions, I immediately remembered my experience with the growing Sargasso. I sprinkled a small

Building a Better State

Public Health Nursing

"Keep the well baby well" is one of the purposes of the Public Health Nursing program according to Miss Mabel G. Munro, R. N., director of the St. Joseph Organization for Public Health Nursing.

Fifty years ago Public Health Nursing was confined to the nursing of the sick poor in their homes. Today it is an organized community service rendered by graduate nurses to the individual,

quantity of it around the mushrooms thinking I could eat them raw, as the necessity dictated. After a while I fell asleep and must have slept from five to ten hours, for when I awoke, I found the mushroom heads had disappeared in the rock. At that same instant a crash issued from the rock above me and it rolled down the valley. I divined the cause instantly—a mushroom exerts tremendous growing power. The little group that I had, exerted such pressure that they rolled the rock away!

family and community. Today an active public health nursing unit keeps up a constant campaign to improve the health and reduce the death rate of the community.

A public health nursing agency may confine its efforts to one particular age group or to one condition; it may perform many services in a generalized program, which is today rapidly replacing the specialized program.

A generalized program may include prenatal service, maternity service, infant and preschool health supervision, school nursing, communicable disease nursing, etc.

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DAUGHTER"

Every prospective mother needs and is entitled to the best service which modern medical and nursing science can provide. The Public Health Nurse encourages every mother to see her doctor as early in her pregnancy as possible. If the family cannot provide its own doctor, the nurse refers the mother to the public agency which is equipped to provide adequate care for that mother.

Providing a nurse to assist the doctor in the home at the birth of the child is often included in a public health nursing service.

After the baby arrives a nurse makes daily visits; carries out the orders of the physician on the case; bathes the mother and baby and at the same time teaches someone in the home to give adequate care until she returns the next day. Her instructions suggest diet, rest and exercise for the mother. The nurse will outline a program of health habits for the new baby. Here adequate suggestions are made about its feedings, sleep, personal hygiene, clothes and many other details which are of great importance to both the mother and baby.

Child health centers are established and well baby conferences are held. The motive of these conferences is to "keep the well baby well" by providing regular medical inspection for the baby, advising about his diet and personal hygiene and helping the mother understand his normal development. The mother's attention is called to any abnormal condition, and she is referred to her family physician for correction. This health supervision service should continue through infancy and on through the preschool period. During this time the child is immunized against diphtheria and smallpox. When he enters school he is free from physical defects and in good condition to begin his school career.

The Public Health Nurse in the school continues the health supervision of the child. He is inspected regularly. He is weighed; his throat, teeth and posture are inspected. When defects are found vision and hearing are tested; his parents are encouraged to have these defects corrected. If the parents cannot provide necessary care, the Public Health Nurse knows how to utilize the resources of the community to have the work done. The nurse assists the teacher in developing health attitudes and habits in the child. Assisting in the prevention and control of communicable disease is part of the day's work in the program of the school nurse.

Beside nursing care to communicable disease cases, who are sick in their homes, is now carried by

many nursing agencies with excellent results.

"The Public Health Nurse, in whatever capacity she serves, is working with people. She is living their lives, identified with their burdens, understanding their limitations, seeing and making the most of their potentialities. What they go through, she too must see and feel, because she must start with them where they are."

It plumbs your emotional depths; it probes your heart; it

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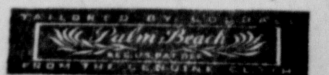
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Wind through the pines on a star lit night was their love song.—Malone Theatre, tonight.

CHILD TRAMPLED BY MARE

Fred Eugene Perkins, 5-year-old

son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Perkins of Zalma, is unconscious in a Cape Girardeau hospital suffering from head injuries and a possible fracture of his skull which he sustained when he was trampled by a mare in the barnyard of his home, Monday.

Seeing the mare and a colt acting strangely in the barnyard, the child's mother went out and found her son unconscious on the ground.

Wife Was Fat No Longer Attractive LOST HUSBAND'S LOVE

The above headlines appeared in a New York newspaper in connection with a divorce trial. "She was a beautiful woman", one witness testified, "but she got fat and is not attractive any more".

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It's the SAFE way to reduce but be sure you get Kruschen—your health comes first and remember this if you are not joyfully satisfied with results—money back.—6

Mrs. Fred Cooley entertained for her daughter, Golda Jean, Wednesday afternoon, in honor of her sixth birthday anniversary. Mrs. Cooley was assisted by Mrs. Guy Beck and Mrs. Jesse Chapman. Games were played, after which refreshments of ice cream, cookies and lemonade were served. Those present were: Eugene and Janet Trousdale, Mary Evelyn, Sue and Jean Chapman, Margaret Lambert, Ruth Collins, Wilma Lou Foster, Dorris Jean Foster, Priscilla Weekly, Eileen and Eugene Hooker, Laura Jo and Virginia Latham, Louise Skelton, Lilly Mae Ozmert, Bonnie Belle Schaeffer, Billie Cozette Cooley, Ronald Beck, G. C. and Homer Call, A. J. and Larry Hale, Mary Alice and Henry Dallas Stanley, Maxine Ozmert, Joe Bayer, Joe Cooley, Chas. Menees and J. W. Littles.

Pharris Ridge Personal And Local Items

Wm. Deane, Jr., teacher of Pharris Ridge school, closed his school Friday with a picnic. At the noon hour a bounteous dinner was spread. The afternoon was spent in playing ball, and potato and sack racing. A large crowd witnessed the happy event. Two pupils were graduated from the 8th grade: Opal Martin and Ruthie Crowell.

Guaranteed permanents \$2.50. Extra special oil permanents \$5.00.—Tiny Beauty Salon, phone 2, Sikeston, Mo.

Garnet Parnley of Morehouse conducted Mother's Day services at Landers' Ridge school house Sunday afternoon.

Alfreda and Emma Kem, Addie Hoover, Maloy Bell and Roy Shelby spent a short time Saturday evening with Zelma Kem.

Vera Tetley and James and Aleen Adecock spent Sunday with James and Edwyna Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kem and family spent Sunday afternoon with the former's mother and brother, Mrs. Susan Kem and son, Archie, of Big Opening community.

Among those who shopped in Sikeston Saturday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. John Crosno and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. W. Larkner and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. Pearson and sons, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tetley and daughter, Carl Watson, Norman Retell, Louis Kem and children, Mrs. Owen Johnson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Johnson and son, and Mr. and Mrs. John Adecock and family.

Violet Mullin spent Saturday night with Edwyna Johnson.

Joe and Edsel Kem, Albert Tetley and Mrs. W. Williamson are on the sick list this week.

TWO FINED FOR FIGHTING

Milburn Minor, 19 years old, pled guilty before Judge W. H. Carter Thursday morning to fighting with Clifford Halliday, 22 years old, at Trousdale's Service Station last Friday night. His fine of \$3 and costs was paid by his mother, who accompanied him to the judge's office.

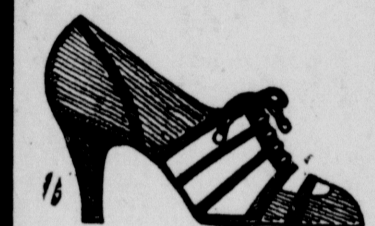
Halliday was arrested by Constable Brown Jewell Friday night and pled guilty to fighting and being drunk Saturday morning. Upon his failure to pay the fine of \$3 and costs, Judge Carter placed him at work on the city streets.

Mrs. A. C. Sikes was hostess to the Thursday Club this week.

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| Fairy Queen Marshmallows | 1-2 lb. pkg. | 10c |
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| Hydrox Style Cakes | pound | 19c |

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| HAMBURGER | 10c lb. | 3 lbs. 25c |
| PORK STEAK | | Pound 12½ |
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THE EDITOR SAYS—

This paragraph is written amid mixed emotions, that of extreme pride and of sadness. Of pride at the compliments paid our son, H. C. Blanton, at the banquet held in his honor Monday night by lawyers from Southeast Missouri, and of sadness that we shall probably not live to see further honors bestowed upon him. Harry has never been a boy. He has been a man from his youth, has worked and fought his way to his present position through hard work and strict attention to business. Perhaps it is indelicate to say more about our own offspring, but will say that we have seven other children that we are duly proud of and in due course of time perhaps they, too, will be heard of in many complimentary ways. These children were raised by a wonderful Mother to whom, perhaps, they owe their trait of having ambition to be somebody, to work and fight out their own destiny, to have honor, honesty and the Irish trait of making and retaining friends. We were just their Father.

A young man who has not been a regular attendant at church services, was asked to go, and did so, then remarked that he was so busy watching the hypocrites that he was unable to pay attention to what the preacher said.

Jackson Matthews, of Effingham, Ill., in writing to The Standard, had the following to say: "I might say that on every Wednesday and Saturday when I receive my copy of The Standard, the Advertising Manager of the Effingham Daily Record calls to see the issue. He takes the copy with him to show his editor and advertisers what real advertising looks like. The Record often comments in its issues of the high quality of The Standard, and they are convinced it is the best paper in any 5000 population town."

We are in receipt of a letter calling our attention to the fact of the city being overrun by rats, and calling for an intensive drive to rid the city of this nuisance and this menace as rats are carriers of numerous contagious diseases. Personally, have seen no sign of rats up our way, but if they are so plentiful some move should be made to rid the city of them. This for the health officers to make the first move.

At this time Sikeston is badly in need of more houses. There is not a vacant house in the city and calls every day. Four and five-room houses with modern fixtures will bring good rent money. Seventeen applications for one house now under construction. Young married people should start a home of their own through building and loan associations. If they never get it paid for they will have no fear of being out of doors if they pay their installments, which is little more than monthly rent.

Well, we've got some good news for Colonel Charley Blanton of The Sikeston Standard. At the dinner given in honor of Postmaster Graham Saturday night, we had a little talk with Sally Rand, who wanted to know all about Colonel Charley. We told her that he was a fine old boy, but that Ed Crowe calls him a diabetic. "My, my!" myed Sally. "And what does the Colonel say of Mr. Crowe?" "Oh, Charley says that Ed's arteries are so hard that you can hear them crack. But it's Charley, not Ed, who's your friend. The Colonel is the world's greatest fan dance authority." "Does he say nice things about me?" asked Sally. "Sure. And he's printed your picture hundreds of times. In fact, he's created the belief in Southeast Missouri that folks just couldn't get along without you." So Sally grabbed our menu and wrote on it, "To Colonel Blanton—Gratefully, Sally Rand." We're bundling up the souvenir and shipping it to Charley, who thus gets his niche in the Hall of Fame. Sally, by the way, is one swell little gal. She's as pretty as a picture and as bright and fresh as a new daisy. She likes folks and wants folks to like her. She's not merely clever, she's smart. This department doesn't go for theatrical people, as a rule, but Sally took us. She's a knock-out and richly deserves all the interest Charley Blanton has shown in her. Even Senator Jerome Joffe looked her over with an appreciative eye—and Jerome is a terribly bashful. We're for Sally, lock, stock and barrel. Our hat's in the ring.—K. C. Democrat.

I don't want to brag, but we got mighty good policemen in Los Angeles. They have caught many a bad one. It looks like every time you get one of these notorious ones now, you get about two women to each man. Looks like about all the police would have to do is arrest every man along. Times do change; the old-time outlaw never mixed for women and business.—Will Rogers.

The ten million dollar bond issue went over with a whoop. The cities were for it and country voters generally against it. It will be mighty fine to have the asylums modernized and brought up to date. We still don't give a rap how hard they make it on criminals in Missouri. Maybe they will steer clear of this if the beds are hard and the grub plain.

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Forrester Sworn In At Council Meeting

At a special Council meeting held at 8:00 o'clock Tuesday evening in the City Hall, Barney Forrester received seventy-three votes as alderman from ward three. Forrester received seventy-three votes during the special election held that same day. Lynn Swaim polled one.

Councilmen at the session temporarily banned parking on the south side of Front street between Kingshighway and Scott street in an effort to eliminate crowded conditions on that thoroughfare caused by forty-five degree parking on the north side, which was decreed by a Council ordinance passed at the last meeting May 7. It is understood that if this plan is found not feasible, another will be tried.

Estimates for street signs, brackets, and posts, which would be required where there are not light or telephone poles, were referred to the Council's street committee. The figures were compiled by Joe Matthews.

Members of the group voted at Tuesday's meeting to join the American Association of Municipalities. Dues for the organization are \$50 a year.

Charles Boardman, street commissioner appeared before the Council to tell of the work of oiling the city roads, which is now in progress. The city buys oil and has it spread by home owners on oiled streets pay the cost of the work.

The Council will meet again June 4 for a regular monthly session.

Find Right Hand in River Matching Body In Sack

With the finding of a human right hand, to which had been wired an old automobile spring and a bundle of clothing tied up in a sack and weighed down with gravel, in the Mississippi River near Cottonwood Point, officers of Dunklin and Pemiscot County are having revived their interest in the finding of an unidentified man in the slough east of White Oak, eight miles north of Kennett on April 8.

The right hand of this body had been chopped off about midway between the wrist and elbow, and the finding of this lone right hand, under the circumstances that it was discovered, and the further fact that there was evidence that two fingers were missing from this hand at the time it was placed in the river, lend further weight to the belief that the hand found in Pemiscot County belongs to the body found in Dunklin County, about 35 miles away.

According to Prosecuting Attorney Robert Hawkins of Caruthersville, the hand, to which had been wired an old automobile spring, was found in the river near Cottonwood Point, evidently having been thrown in the river when the wa-

ter stage was considerably higher, and when the water went down the hand was exposed to view. Nearby was found the bundle of clothing in a sack, weighted down with gravel. Investigation revealed that there were holes in the shirt and underwear at about the same place, and looked as if they might be bullet holes.

The body of the unidentified man found in the slough east of White Oak contained four bullet holes, further evidence that the clothing found in the Mississippi was that worn by the man found in the slough north of Kennett. The body was found by three boys out boat riding one Sunday afternoon. The body, which was rather badly decomposed and discolored, gave evidence of having been in the water possibly two or three weeks.

Officers here had had no notice of anyone who had disappeared, and were without any clues on which to work. With the finding of the hand in Pemiscot County, interest is revived and with officers from both counties working on the case it is probable that further clues will be uncovered.—Kennett Democrat.

Mary Emma Powell Named Miss Sikeston

Mary Emma Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Powell, was named Miss Sikeston at a beauty contest held Wednesday evening at the Malone Theatre.

Miss Powell, who is 16 years old, was born and reared here and this Spring is completing her third year at the Sikeston high school. She is a brunette, has brown eyes and is 5 feet, 6 inches tall.

Her evening ensemble consisted of a dress of a robin's egg blue net over a blue taffeta silk slip, and silver and blue sandals. Her bathing suit was of rich yellow knit silk.

Because she captured first place Wednesday evening, Miss Powell will go May 26 to Poplar Bluff to compete with other Southeast Missouri town representatives during the Ozarks Mardi Gras for a district title. If she defeats all other contestants there she will be awarded a week's trip to the World's Fair in Chicago with all expenses paid.

Second place in the city competition was given to Ann Beck, representing the J. Wm. Foley Motor Company, and third to Helen Virginia Keith, entered by the Tiny Beauty Salon. Miss Powell represented Shainberg's.

Judges for the contest, which was sponsored by the Lions Club, were chosen by an unnamed Sikeston man who is not a Lion and is not related to any of the contestants nor to the members of sponsoring firms. Wednesday afternoon he went to the hotels and secured three men who are unacquainted here and do not sell merchandise to the sponsoring concerns.

To lend atmosphere, Miss Esther Lee Boyer of St. Louis, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brewer of Charleston, formerly of Sikeston, sat on the stage during the performance. A Lions Club committee arranged details of the contest and Ralph Anderson announced the entrants. Other young women who participated and the firms whose representatives they were are Mildred Williams, Mitchell-Sharp Chevrolet Company; Bessie Cauthorn, Peoples Market; Irene Miller, Peoples Store; Laura Jo Smith, Arthur's Cities Service Station; Evelyn Ward, Buckner-Ragsdale; Hazel Young, Pitman and Son; Christine Cauthorn, Woolworth's; Mildred Baker, Sterling's Store; Mickey Patterson, Wolf House Furnishing Company; Verna DuBois, Lair Furniture Company; Sylvia Goldstein, Graber's; Margaret Fisher, The Sikeston Herald, and Emily Blanton, White's Drug Store.

City Approves Bond Issue In Light Vote

Although by the action of Kansas City, St. Louis, and the traditionally strong Democratic counties the \$10,000,000 bond issue proposal was easily passed two to one, Sikeston voters showed little interest in the special election, casting 144 ballots for the issue and 95 against it.

The vote by precincts was: North, 90 for, 39 against; south, 54 for, 56 against.

Scott County as a whole, with approximately 1000 votes cast in the election, approved the issue with a majority of about 175. In Fomfelt it carried 125 to 16.

Cape Girardeau voters gave the issue almost a two to one majority, but because of heavy voting against it at Jackson and in rural communities the total count for county was 1401 against and only 653 for.

Springfield and other Ozark

towns, where Republicans predominate, were strongly opposed to the bond issue. Butler County residents voted five to one against it, and those in four of the county precincts were unanimously against the proposition.

Incomplete returns showed that Bollinger, Dunklin and Stoddard Counties did not favor the bond issue and that Mississippi, New Madrid and Pemiscot Counties approved it.

HARRIS-McNESE

Mrs. Virginia McNeese of Simpson, Ill., a waitress at Kirby's Cafe, and Grant Harris of Sikeston, night cook at Billy Walker's restaurant, were married at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday evening at the Nazarene parsonage by the Rev. C. F. Transue. Witnesses were Boyd Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gage.

Friends Catch Store Burglar in Fomfelt

Surrounded by residents of Fomfelt, who responded to a call from A. D. Schriever, owner of a general store, Marvin Sprickles, 22 years old, of Dexter, was caught and held while he was attempting burglary late Wednesday night. He is now in the Scott County jail at Benton.

Soon after midnight, Mr. Schriever was awakened at his home by a burglar alarm which is connected with the store. He telephoned a Philip Uhran, marshal, and about five friends, who arrived on foot and in automobiles and blocked streets and alleys near the store.

After car lights were turned on the store's front, Uhran demanded that the burglar come out. From behind a pile of flour sacks a man replied that he wished to speak with the manager alone. Threatened further, he finally appeared and was handcuffed by Sheriff Joe Anderson, who had arrived.

As the officer started to drive away, however, Sprickles leaped from the sheriff's car and headed into a lot overgrown with tall weeds. Captured again, he was taken to Benton and placed in the jail.

The youth denied knowledge of a new V-8 Ford sedan which was found in the alley behind the store and contained goods stolen from a Fomfelt concern Monday night. He said that he had been in the north and was only searching for food.

Sikeston Semo Ball Team to Play Sunday

One hundred and four dollars have been subscribed by Sikeston concerns and individuals for the benefit of the city's team which will be a member of the Southeast Missouri baseball league. More will be given soon.

The money will be used for the purchase of equipment. The suits, ordered May 3, will arrive this week in time for the opening game at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, when Sikeston meets Jackson for one of the first games of the season.

That same day Ilmo-Fomfelt will play at Charleston, Poplar Bluff at Dexter and Cape Girardeau at Caruthersville.

Slim Limbaugh will be manager of the team and will serve as catcher as well. Clarence Dowdy, the captain, will play center field. Others who will participate in Sikeston's first game Sunday will be picked from the following men: Crain, left fielder; Law, first baseman; Sherry, pitcher; Butler, pitcher; Nix, infielder; Kindred, right fielder; Swaim, right fielder; May, first baseman or pitcher; Dea and Bandy, shortstops; Beard, outfielder or catcher; Lancaster, Engram and Marshall, second basemen; Payne, outfielder.

Firms and individuals who have contributed to the team fund are: The Missouri Utilities Company, Southeastern Telephone Company, E. C. Robinson Lumber Company, Coca-Cola Bottling Works, Ralph Anderson, J. J. Reiss, Sutton Bros. Grocery, Percy Anderson, Bank of Sikeston, Sikeston Lumber Company, Fisher Barber Shop, Mitchell-Sharp Chevrolet Company, Lair Furniture Company, John G. Powell Insurance Company.

Harry Young, Hubert Boyer, Air-Mist Laundry, L. T. Davey, Best Fruit Produce Company, Trousdale Service Station, John LaFont, Dempster Furniture Company, Graber's Department Store, Bucquer-Ragsdale, Dr. C. W. Limbaugh, Jack Lancaster, Elmos Taylor, H. & H. Grocery, Sensenbaugh Brothers, Bob Joyner, Selars' Meat Market, Jack Matthews, Hudson Cafe, Barry's Red & White Store, Tip Keller, Dye Service Station and Paul Jones.

Games will extend for sixteen Sundays until September 2, but members of the league will play only fourteen matches, July 8 and 15 have been left open for non-league games or for those either rained out or postponed.

Championship of the league will be determined by the percentage method of wins over losses. The team having the highest percentage at the end of the season will be declared league champion and will go to St. Louis September 24 to meet victors in four other eastern Missouri leagues for district championship games. Then that winner will play one from the western Missouri division for a State championship tournament.

The heavy cruiser Astoria, which was built in a drydock at the Puget Sound Navy Yard and launched last December, was the first United States naval vessel in over thirteen years to have been christened with champagne.

Sikeston Standard, \$2.00 a year.

Senior Play Cast Gives Superior Performance

Grasping the spirit of "Nancy's Private Affair", the senior members of the cast carried the play with rollicking gaiety at a fast tempo to present a well-rounded, pleasing performance at the high school auditorium Tuesday evening.

The story is not new; neither is it very credible. It concerns a young woman, who, because she wears horn-rimmed spectacles, wears her husband to a flibbertigibbet after three and a half years of marriage.

At the end of a stormy argument with her friends, Billy Ross and Sally Lee, the young woman, Nancy Gibson, decides to allow her husband, Donald, the divorce which he wants and then to lure him back with traditional feminine tricks.

Three months later she returns, sans spectacles, sans woolen stockings and heavy underwear, blossoming in Paris finery, to cooing to Joseph Nunn, St. Louis meteorologist, with brisk, drying winds. On the 10th and 11th occurred probably the most severe duststorm of record in Missouri. Good rains, averaging 1.34 inches for the entire State, fell, however, and though the amounts varied greatly in different sections, the moisture was beneficial in all parts of Missouri.

Crops responded immediately to the rain after making only poor progress previously. Early planted corn should now grow rapidly, and good germination is insured for lately planted corn.

Dust Storms Worst In Missouri History

High temperatures prevailed during the first four or five days of the week ending Tuesday, according to Joseph Nunn, St. Louis meteorologist, with brisk, drying winds. On the 10th and 11th occurred probably the most severe duststorm of record in Missouri.

Good rains, averaging 1.34 inches for the entire State, fell, however, and though the amounts varied greatly in different sections, the moisture was beneficial in all parts of Missouri.

Crops responded immediately to the rain after making only poor progress previously. Early planted corn should now grow rapidly, and good germination is insured for lately planted corn.

SIKESTON HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

Sunday morning, May 20—11 o'clock—Baccalaureate
Professional—Holy, Holy Holy
"Twilight" Abt
Girls' Glee Club
Prayer Glee Club
"Dearest Lord Jesus" Bach
Scripture Reading Glee Club
Solo—"Trusting Him" Hamblen
Miss Louise Blount
Sermon Rev. E. H. Orear
Doxology
Benediction
Recessional—"Onward Christian Soldiers"
Monday Evening, May 21st, 8:00 O'ok, Graduation
Proessional—"America, the Beautiful"
Invocation
"Will o' the Wisp" Spross
"Morning" Oley Speaks
Address Dr. W. W. Parker
President Southeast Missouri Teachers' College
Solo Chas. Allen Cook
Presentation of Diplomas, High School Entrance Certificates, Awards, Honors
The Alma Mater

75 In Eighth Grade Will Get Diplomas

The following eighth grade graduates will receive certificates at the annual high school commencement exercises which will be held at 8 o'clock Monday evening in the high school auditorium:

Girls
Evelyn E. Baker
Dessie D. Bartlett
Deloris E. Beal
Lavada Beck
Jewell J. Bishop
Ruby Carothers
Doris D. Comer
Ida Louise Cravens
Erna V. Cunningham
Neomi Marie Dillard
Peggy Ann Donnell
Eleanor Hahn
Marjorie Hocker
Johnnie L. Hutchinson
Monica Kaiser
Grace Louise Lambert
Goldie Irene Leech
Louise Lebeck
Virginia L. Matthews
Juanita Glenda Mills
Aileen McCoy
Mary Louise Nickell
Winnie Sailors
Florence Shufft
Florence Shuppert
Boys
Paul David Allen
G. C. Baker, Jr.
Dennis Bates
Charles Beal
Charles H. Bolden
Paul Bowman Jr.
Charles C. Branum
Albert G. Canoy
Harold W. Carmody
Leo Comstock
James Dodson
Robert Dover
Dempsey Gardner
Gene Grant
Sherman E. Grant
Woodrow W. Gwaltney
Mearl Hale
Jake Hart
J. N. Hitchcock
Andrew James Kappler
Melvin D. Kornegger
Roscoe La Grand
Bruce Lambert
Ellsworth Long
Tommy Marshall
Edward C. Matthews
Robert S. Matthews
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Lawrence McClellan
Purvis Orrel
Albert Poe
Joe Powers
Wayman Pratt
Eben Rodgers
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Trentis Stovall
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Claude Turner
Roy Wagner, Jr.
Floyd Widdows
Edward Williams

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Shoots Son-in-Law For Beating Wife

Jesse Howard Buchanan, 43 years old of Commerce, shot his son-in-law, Odell Mitchell 20, twice in the buttocks at 10 o'clock Thursday morning because young Mitchell had allegedly beaten Buchanan's daughter, who is his wife.

It is said that Buchanan fired the charges from a double-barreled shotgun when Mitchell started to run from the family home on the Mississippi river front during an argument which followed the beating.

The two men were taken to Benton by Sheriff Joe Anderson and Forest Tisdell, a deputy, after Buchanan had telephoned for them. There Buchanan was placed in the Scott County jail and Mitchell was removed to a physician's office, where shots were taken from his body. Though he was painfully injured, his condition was not serious and he returned later to his home.

Buchanan and his son-in-law had been living in the same house and working together as fishermen.

FIELD DAY MEETING

The second annual Field Day to be held at the Experiment Station four miles north of Sikeston on Highway 61 will be held the first week in June. At this time, Professor H. H. Krusekopf and Prof. B. M. King of the College of Agriculture will be present and visits will be made to the various plots and results of the past four years' work will be given.

All farmers in Southeast Missouri should be interested in this and plan to be present as soon as the exact day for the meeting is announced.

CAMDEN AND WARREN DISSOLVE PARTNERSHIP

Harry Camden and W. C. Warren, who have been associated together at the Center Street Tire and Battery Station, have dissolved their partnership. Mr. Camden will continue to operate the business alone under the name of Camden's Garage.

At his place, located on Center street between Kingshighway and North Ranney Street, Mr. Camden will sell Diamond tires and tubes, U. S. L. Batteries and automobile accessories and will do car re-tire vulcanizing and battery re-paring of all kinds, as well as tire vulcanizing and battery recharging and rebuilding.

Mr. Warren, who will devote his time to electric wiring service, will maintain office space at the garage until he finds another place.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

The sixth, seventh and eighth grade students will receive their report cards at their closing exercises today. Today, too, pupils in those three grades and members of the freshmen class will go on picnics. The juniors and seniors staged a picnic yesterday afternoon.

When commencement is over Monday evening, chairs will be taken from the high school auditorium for a dance which the seniors will sponsor. Jack Himelberger's orchestra of Cape Girardeau will play for the affair. Tickets will be 25 cents.

KIRBY, POTASHNICK TIE

The Kirby and Potashnick teams tied 3 to 3 at the end of the sixth inning of their Tuesday game, which was called because of darkness.

Batteries for Potashnick were Payne and Allen and Dick Swaim; for Kirby, Bennett, Appell, Crain and F. Clinton.

Summaries:
Potashnick 3 3 2
Kirby 3 3 1
The tie will be played off Wednesday afternoon.

HEARING POSTPONED FOR TWO WEEKS

A preliminary hearing for Geo. E. Tubbs and Jeff Baugher, both of near Salcedo, who are charged with violating Ona Clark Mosley, a young woman under 16, which was scheduled for 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon before Judge Jos. W. Myers, was postponed until May 31.

Miss Mosley swore out a complaint against the two for the alleged offense, which is said to have been committed in Sikeston the night of May 5, last Saturday. They were released on bonds of \$2500 apiece.

Tubbs and Baugher are being represented by Milo Gresham, J. Val Baker of Morehouse and M. E. Montgomery, Scott County prosecuting attorney, will prosecute the case.

A new law enacted by Congress makes it unlawful to hunt migratory waterfowl without purchasing a federal stamp.

Ruddell Says We May Learn From Africans

We may learn much from a knowledge of prevalent conditions in Africa. Major Thomas A. Ruddell told members of the Lions Club and their friends Wednesday noon.

"There", he said, "Ruddell is still at the well and David is tending his flocks. Now, however, he doesn't use a slingshot but an ancient rifle. Aside from that there is no change, either in costume or custom. The people have been functioning as their ancestors, resisting change. They are in a rut."

"But we have been in a rut", he added. We have been doing business as our forefathers did. Hy-podermic injections have kept us from catastrophe. Disregard statements like "Prosperity is just around the corner", he said. We must study the conditions in which we live and effect changes by evolution, not revolution.

Other peoples have, perhaps, discouraged progress in northern Africa. First they took slaves from Africa; then Africa from the Africans, Major Ruddell said. It was probably easier because they are naturally backward.

"Allah wills it", they say of circumstances or deeds. "But if they are backward they are also treacherous. Major Ruddell has seen tribesmen torture their prisoners, almost skinning them alive, or burying them in sand to their necks and then spreading honey on their faces to attract insects, or mutilating them."

Major Ruddell was himself captured, but after a long quiz by an Egyptian Arab, who tested his knowledge of English, he convinced the tribesmen that he was an American. At that time Woodrow Wilson was universally considered as the future savior of small nations. Consequently, Major Ruddell was treated with kindness, and at the end of three weeks' captivity, he was exchanged for a sheik, who, he made clear to his audience, is not a young romantic lover, but an old man, or leader, with a beard.

He told of a captured Italian who claimed to be an American so that he too, would be well-cared for. Only one member of the tribe which held him, had even a slight knowledge of English. Nevertheless, the Italian was questioned by this man. Fortunately, the prisoner had memorized a few words from tourist folders, which have printed in various languages phrases necessary for travelers in foreign countries. The Italian spoke in the following manner: "Waiter, will you bring me ham and eggs. Tickets at station." His claim was considered valid and he was released.

Major Ruddell dined with an Arab chieftain. He sat cross-legged on the floor and ate with others from a common bowl which held goat meat and later grasshoppers which had been roasted in boiling olive oil and were served dry. He survived the sickening Arab sweets and a perfuming by slaves before he drank perfumed coffee. Then he rose, and like the other guests, belched three times to show his host that he had enjoyed the meal.

He told how women are still stoned to death for infidelity and how all the hair is pulled from a bride's body before marriage so that her husband may be assured of her cleanliness. He told of going with three companions to a place near Tripoli, where the bodies of dead men and women are taken. He told of the obliteration of a horrible stench by a strange perfume and of the resurrection of the bodies, some badly decomposed. He said he saw them rise and walk and speak with him in several languages before they lay down again in the heat of other dead and the stench returned.

The incident is like that of a Hindu fakir who throws into the air a rope, on which two men climb. A camera records only the fakir ready to throw the rope, and many people in the audience fail to see the remainder of the act. The answer to these puzzles is mob hypnotism. "I have been hypnotized nine times", he said.

Major Ruddell went to northern Africa as an officer of the Italian Foreign Legion at the end of the World War. He is now division sales manager in St. Louis for the Spencer Corset Company of New Haven, Conn. As a member of the speakers' bureau of the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce, he was brought here through arrangements with Frank Lair.

More than fifty men attended the meeting. Those from out-of-town included Ernest Story, Lee Pemberton and F. D. Lair, Jr., all of Charleston; Orville Zimmerman, Kennett, and Mr. Locatell, St. Louis.

C. L. Blanton, Jr., president of the Lions Club, introduced Major Ruddell. Before the luncheon was served, George Kirk led members and guests in singing "Smiles" and "My Wild Irish Rose."

Three eighth grade graduates of St. Francis Xavier school will receive diplomas at Mass at 9:30 o'clock Sunday morning at the Catholic church. At that time, too, Father Thos. R. Woods will preach. They are Rosemary Blanton, Mary Louise Layman and Mary Dover. The school will close at 10:00 o'clock this morning. At 1 o'clock there will be a picnic for all the students.

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"People who have been complaining of the tough times of the past four years don't know what tough times are," says Colonel Charles Blanton of The Sikeston Standard. "I was talking to Ed Crowe of the Dexter Statesman the other day, and Ed told me that when he was a boy down in old Kentucky his maw used to get him up in the morning and say to him, 'Now, Edmund, you run right down to the creek and wash your face and hands and then climb that garden tree and get your breakfast.' Ed told me that he practically lived on 'simmons up to the time he got his first pair of shoes—and that didn't happen until he was 22 or 23. I guess things used to be pretty tough. Anyway, he was a K. C. Democrat."

She raised her eyes—he arched his nose—now they're raising the roof in one of the biggest and best romances of all time!—Sunday and Monday, Malone Theatre.

SEMI-SCHOOLS PREPARE FOR CLOSING EXERCISES

With the closing of grammar and high schools throughout Southeast Missouri preparations have been completed for final activities and baccalaureate and commencement exercises.

At Farnfield, when the high school graduation ceremony was held Thursday evening, Dr. S. A. Kruse, a member of the faculty of the Southeast Missouri Teachers' College in Cape Girardeau, addressed the thirteen seniors. Tonight, Thomas Bellas, also of the Teachers' College faculty, will speak at the grade school commencement.

Other events in the closing of high school included the junior-senior dinner last Thursday night, a baccalaureate sermon delivered by the Rev. Wade Freeman, pastor of the Baptist church, on Sunday, and a declamation contest, sponsored by the board of education Monday night.

Rose Lee Shober was the highest ranking senior and Lilfred Hardin was president of the class. Other members were Lester Sherfield, Louis Statler, Lester Klemm, Joe Mirreux, William Hughes, Ruth Drexler, Cleda Eifert, Alberta Spradlin, Hester Ross, Marjorie Welter and Allen Hoffman.

Commencement exercises for thirty-one members of the Chaffee high school graduating class were held Thursday evening at the high school gymnasium. At the baccalaureate services Sunday morning, the Rev. F. Ernest Bray, pastor of the First Baptist church, preached to the students.

The eighth grade graduation ceremony was also held Thursday evening. The grammar school's annual play was presented on the grade school grounds last Friday afternoon.

Forty graduates of the Charleston high school heard an address by G. W. Stephens, dean of students at Washington University in St. Louis, at their commencement Thursday evening. Scholarship medals and awards were also presented and members of the girls' glee club sang that night when the students received their diplomas from Robert L. Fowlkes, president of the board of education.

Commencement week was opened in Charleston Sunday, when the Rev. Allen B. Cooper, pastor of the First Baptist church, delivered a baccalaureate sermon and numbers were given by the glee club. Tuesday evening the senior play, "Polly With a Past", was performed. And Wednesday night the junior-senior banquet was held at the high school auditorium.

Thursday, too, thirty-five students of the eighth grade were given certificates by A. D. Simpson, superintendent of Charleston schools.

The year's term of the Blodgett high school ended last Friday evening when Roy V. Ellise, superintendent of Sikeston schools, spoke to the twenty-one members of the graduating class and several special numbers were given.

Members of the class were Ruby Pearl Fitzpatrick, Imogene Watkins, Elsie Mae Collier, Helen Nichols, Helen Forrest, Joe Bill Michael, Janet Cunningham, Jack Sneed, Elba Jo Malone, Rosemary Smith, Jack Laughlin, Edward Michael, Katherine Savannah Pober, Bessie Lorene Burton, Stella May Clayton, Mary Josephine

BUY NOT, EAT NOT

By BOOTH TARKINGTON

Sometimes we have to go against our training or go broke. Sometimes what we have always believed to be a rule of virtuous conduct proves fatal in practice. For instance, we have grown up in the belief, fostered by our parents and teachers and enforced by our government, that we have no right to take or use the property of another person without his consent, but if the property in question happens to be a blackjack that the other person is about to bring down on my head I shall have a better chance of surviving if I perceive, in time, the unwisdom of clinging unalterably to old convictions. That is, there are times of emergency when clinging to an old conviction will be ruinous. Let us consider the present time in its relation to our old conviction in favor of thrift.

People of pioneer stock are often spoken of as the "backbone of the country," and probably they are. Pioneers are thrifty or they don't survive. If the wood pile is used too freely in the autumn it may not last through the winter, and the Midland child learned thrift at its grandmother's knee. Moreover, we've been taught for several generations that it isn't what a man earns that counts and takes care of him in his old age; it's what he saves. We've always believed that thrift is a virtue, that spending is risky and that squandering is suicidal. We demand thrift from our government, vote against political candidates proven unthrifty, and we investigate, and often relegate to private life, officials shown to be carelessly lavish with public funds. The value of thrift, indeed, is one of our strongest convictions. No one doubts that it is a right and useful conviction or that it would be dangerous to unsettle it; but here is the United States government coming to us now, asking us to buy, buy, buy, advising us to spend our money rather than to save it, and generally appearing to set itself strongly in opposition to that old principle of thriftiness in which we were trained. There seems to be a contradiction somewhere.

Moreover, the government asks us to spend at a time when we have the least to spare, at a time when the Federal government itself, as well as our State, county and city governments, are taking heavily from us in taxes and in that way lessening our power to spend. Worse still, our government, through the N.R.A., asks us to spend at a moment of great financial uncertainty in our lives, at a moment when we don't know whether we're emerging from the depression or going deeper into it, and when we aren't sure whether we're less afraid of the future than we were a year ago, or more so. The curious thing about the government's exhortation to us to spend is that the exhorters know how we feel and how we're situated; they know our old conviction in favor of thriftiness and they agree with that conviction—and yet these same exhorters ask us to buy, buy, buy!

What's the answer? Money is a means of trade. If you had a cord of wood and no food, and your neighbor had a cellar full of potatoes and no fuel, and if neither of you were willing to trade, he'd have raw potatoes to eat but he'd freeze to death, and you'd have heat enough perhaps, but you'd starve to death. Thrift is indeed a virtue; but this is a time of emergency during which it's necessary to buy goods so that somebody'll have money enough to pay us for what we produce. If it's hard for us to get rich by washing one another's shirts, it's certainly impossible for us to make a living by washing our own. It seems wiser to live by spending than to perish by saving.

House, Mary Estelle Stancil, Frances Julia Ohmes, Joseph Allen Baker, Harold Russell Hill and Bernard R. Steinbeck.

The Dexter high school program opened last Friday evening with the junior-senior dinner, held at the First Baptist church. This was followed by the baccalaureate exercises Sunday, during which the Rev. T. R. Lewis preached, the Revs. R. E. Foard, V. Wilson and R. S. Fowler assisted, and a quartet sang. High school class day exercises were given at the auditorium Thursday afternoon.

That same night members of the senior class were addressed by Dr. W. W. Parker, president of the Southeast Missouri State Teachers' College. The quartet and chorus also sang on this program. Diplomas were presented by W. A. Leoffler.

No principal speaker was chosen for the Caruthersville graduation exercises; rather the program was largely given by students, including numbers by the girls' glee club and a quartet and short talks, in addition to an invocation by the Rev. C. C. Barnhardt and presen-

tation of diplomas by Everett Reeves.

There were forty-nine students in the graduating class, which was headed by Damon Bernard. Harry Dickman was valedictorian and Faye Bradsher salutatorian.

Other events on the commencement program at Caruthersville included an annual alumni banquet last Thursday evening and baccalaureate exercises Sunday morning. At the latter, the Rev. D. K. Foster spoke on "Invisible Origins." The invocations, scripture reading, prayer and benediction were given by the Revs. D. K. Foster, J. L. Cox, W. W. Gray and C. C. Barnhardt.

Sam M. Phillips, a member of the first graduating class of the Malden high school forty years ago, addressed Malden seniors at their commencement exercises Thursday evening. In addition to Mr. Phillips' talk, students presented a short musical and literary program. At the baccalaureate services at the Christian church Sunday President Deering of Oakland College, a leader in the General Baptist church, preached.

Dr. W. W. Parker spoke at the thirty-second annual commencement exercises of the Doniphan high school held in the auditorium last Thursday evening. The Rev. D. W. Jones gave an invocation, a quartet sang, the principal, O. J. Dunn, presented scholarship letters, and S. H. Lawrence, vice-president of the school board, gave diplomas to the thirty-one graduates.

Graduation week events will be held later at Kennett than in most other towns. Thirty-seven seniors will go to the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday to hear the Rev. F. M. Love, pastor of the church, preach the baccalaureate. Friday evening, May 25, they will be addressed at commencement by Dr. Parker.

Romance—adventure—laughter—and it all happens under his very nose!—Malone Theatre, Sunday and Monday.

SUNDAY DINNER SUGGESTIONS

By ANN PAGE

If you like orange marmalade why not make it yourself of the fine cheap oranges or equally good grapefruit now in market? A favorite recipe uses one orange, one grapefruit and one lemon. Strawberries are also of good quality and moderately priced. The vegetable stores are full of unusually fine vegetables, all reasonable or low in price. New cabbage, California Brussels sprouts, broccoli and cauliflower are all choice quality. String beans and spinach are winter standbys whose price fluctuates more or less according to weather conditions but they are always reasonable and often cheap. Green peas and lima beans are more expensive but are still moderately priced. Tomatoes are increasingly plentiful and cheaper week by week. Many salad plants are available including lettuce, endive, water-cress, cucumbers, radishes and shallots.

The Quaker Maid suggests the following Sunday dinners planned to fit different budgets.

Low Cost Dinner

Smoked Pork Shoulder
Baked Potatoes Creamed Cabbage
Bread and Butter
Deep Apple Pie

Medium Cost Dinner

Roast Beef Browned Potatoes
Buttered Onions
Mixed Vegetable Salad
Salad Dressing
Bread and Butter

Very Special Dinner

Grapefruit with Honey
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R. J. & R. TAKES PETERS FROM FIRST POSITION

By Leo Smith

The Peters team lost hold of first place when it was defeated by R. J. & R. by a score of 8 to 7, Friday.

The two teams are now tied for second place, Friedman-Shelby team moving up in first place, while the Vitality team is in last place.

Hodges was the leading hitter for the winners, getting two hits out of three times at bat, while manager Sexton was leading hitter for his team, getting two hits out of four times at bat.

E. Williams hit a triple for the winners, as did Moody for the losers. The R. J. & R. team also completed two double plays.

The game scheduled for Monday between Vitality and Peters teams was called off in the first inning—with two men out and no scores. This game will be played at a later date.

The score:
Peters.....7 7 5
R. J. & R.....8 8 4

Your face will be as red as his nose, when Durante loses his 1934 model screaming courtship with glee-action along the Boulevard of Dreams!—Sunday and Monday, Malone Theatre.

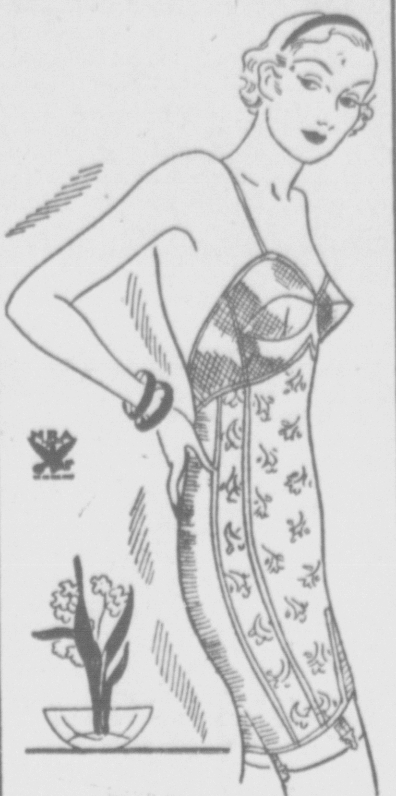
In the little inland village of Altenburg, Perry county, carefully preserved from further destruction by winds and weather, stands the first Lutheran school of the United States. It was built by Saxon immigrants who landed in America in 1838 under the personal leadership of Martin Stephen, a Lutheran zealot. The little cabin is built of rough hewn logs and covered with hand-riven shingles. The Tickville Banker's daughter stopped at the Postoffice Monday. Clab Hancock said nothing more than a skimpy strip of leather and a little sentiment seemed to be keeping the heels from divorcing the toe parts of her slippers.—Commercial Appeal.

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We wish to thank our many friends who were so kind and helpful to us at the death of our loved one, Mrs. Katie Lydy. We also want to thank Bro. Jones for his words of comfort and for the beautiful floral offering.

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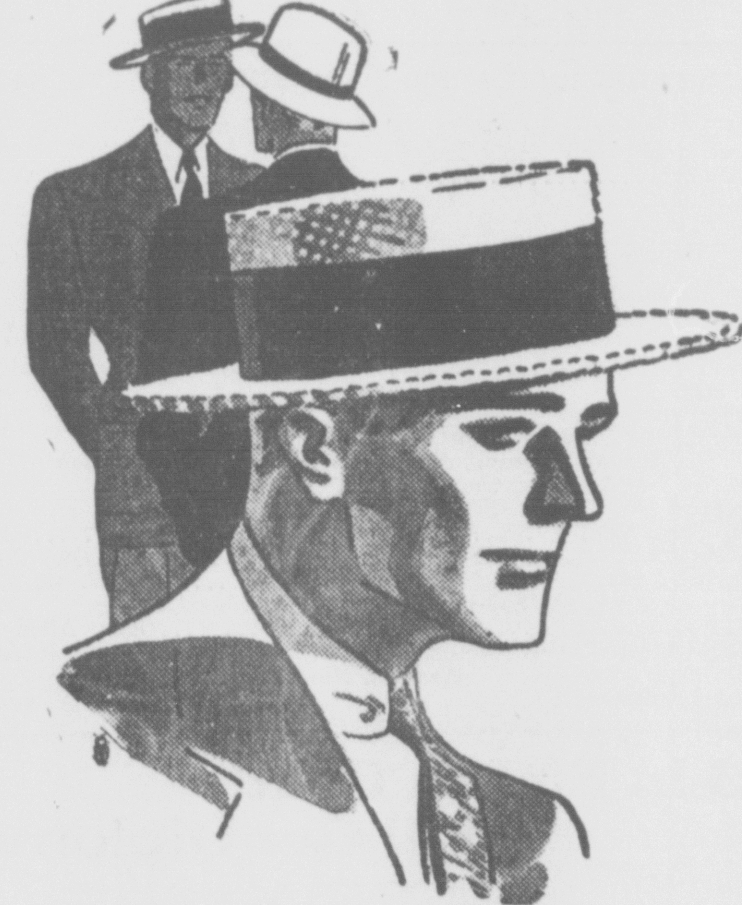
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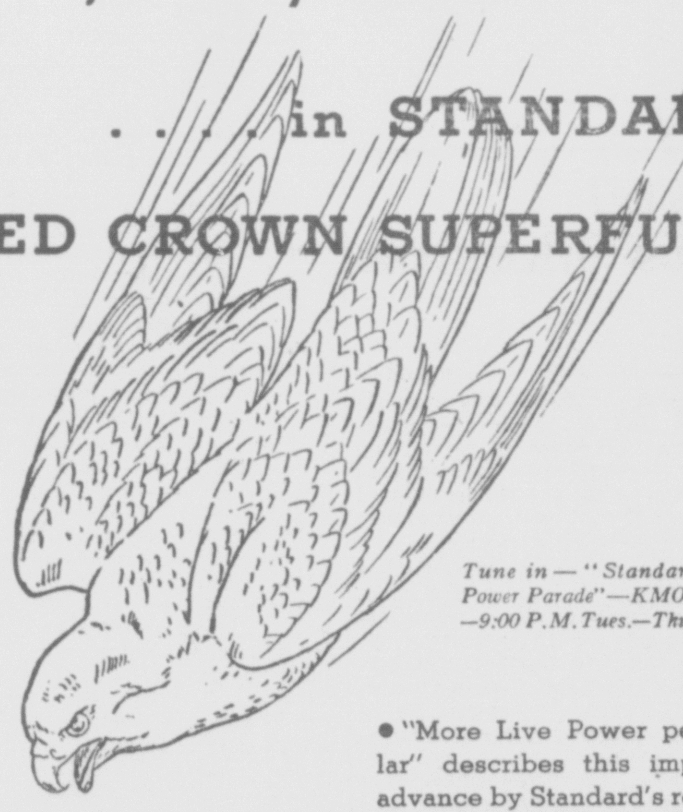
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METEORS

LITTLE AMERICA, ANTARCTICA, May 7 (via Mackay Radio)
—These meteor showers are beautiful. We have been watching them every night since April 19. At first the atmosphere was murky and visibility low. Recently, however, the air has cleared and the heavens have put on a wonderful show for us.

On the science building, Bill Haines, of Washington, D. C., our meteorologist, and the other scientists



MIKE
One of our team leaders.

Huts have built an observation turret of pyralis glass which is light and won't break. In this turret four of the science fellows sit on a revolving platform and each checks up all night on the shooting stars he observes in one quadrant of the sky. This is being done under the direction of Dr. Thomas C. Poulter, chief of our group of 13 scientists, who is in command here while Admiral Byrd is off in his hut 123 miles away. At home Dr. Poulter is head of the science department of Iowa Wesleyan College, at Mount Pleasant, Iowa. In this meteor-shower observation business down here he is working with fifty meteorological stations throughout the world and a lot of new knowledge of Celestial ways should come of it.

Our daily routine is all in working shape now. We rise at 7, get into frozen clothes, thaw ourselves out a bit and have breakfast at 7.30. By 8.30 we are at work. Luncheon happens at 12.30 and dinner at 5.30. For breakfast we have dry or cooked cereal with real cream and milk from our own cows, hot cakes or bacon and eggs, and coffee. Luncheon is a buffet affair, usually of sandwiches, soup and coffee. Dinner is our biggest meal, with

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ellis and daughter, Mrs. Wm. Vinson, are spending a few days in St. Louis.

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Many Attend Dinner for Harry C. Blanton

By Robert Johnson
Attorneys and business men of Southeast Missouri gathered Monday evening to pay tribute to an outstanding son of outstanding parents.

They ate a dinner in the basement of the Methodist Episcopal church, and then they listened while several of Harry Blanton's friends spoke of him quietly, revealing his character and accomplishments.

As toastmaster, George Kirk related jokes and introduced the speakers, who in turn told amusing stories before they talked of the new United States district attorney for eastern Missouri. The meeting was informal and pleasant, fitting for an occasion to compliment a man who has brought honor to himself and his community.

C. L. Blanton was there, sitting near his son, and when he was asked to speak after the others had finished, he said that he appreciated the testimonial meeting. Harry had always been a fine son, Mr. Blanton said. He had been a man since he was very young. He worked hard. But Mr. Blanton disclaimed credit for the position which Harry Blanton now holds. The son had been aided immeasurably by his mother, he said. Many were sorry that Mrs. Blanton could not have attended the banquet.

Orville Zimmerman of Kennett spoke first. "I join with Southeast Missouri and Sikeston to bid goodspeed to Harry while he serves his State and fellow citizens," he said. During the last two decades we have been witnessing great changes, he added. There have been kidnappings, thievery, murders. The people require a strong man to protect them. "Harry can do it," Mr. Zimmerman said.

The businesses, lands, and banks are important to a community, but more important still is the citizenry. Southeast Missouri is the highest type of people, he said. Harry is an outstanding example. "Southeast Missouri will always be proud of Harry," said Richard Baynes of New Madrid, who spoke after Mr. Zimmerman. "His integrity has never been questioned. There is no stain on his character, either as a lawyer or as a man. He has ever been outstanding, one of the shining stars of the district."

Mr. Baynes has known Harry Blanton for numerous years, for the two began practicing law at about the same time.

E. M. Munger of Chaffee characterized the meeting as a splendid exhibition of love and friendship for Harry Blanton. "Sikeston appreciates his talent and studiousness," he said, "as do members of the Southeast Missouri bar, which is as intelligent and honest as any."

Mr. Munger, who has been a friend of Mr. Blanton ever since he came to the bar, has found his fellow lawyer always the same, he said. Mr. Munger met him in 1919 at the end of the war, and together they went with their post to Jefferson City. Later Mr. Munger watched while Mr. Blanton served with distinction as commander in Missouri of the American Legion.

He became district attorney, Mr. Munger said, largely because of his determination and because he was reared in a fine town and with a lovely family. Judge Frank Kelly of Cape Girardeau told of the work which Mr. Blanton will have to accomplish in his position while Americans are growing a new conscience and are forming a new social and economic status and a standard of living. "The district attorney will have plenty to do," he said, reviewing the recent activities of criminals and business czars, of the trials of men prominent in church and industry, of the facts revealed during government investigations.

Dr. Z. Lee Stokely of Poplar Bluff said the men had heard enough of Harry Blanton. He would not speak. Rather he proposed that the friends present stand in tribute to "the hero and heroine who were Harry Blanton's parents." The men stood.

"Honor comes to a man because he lives right," Russell Deamont of Cape Girardeau said, "because his past actions justify placing him in a position of responsibility. Harry was a patriot, serving his country willingly. He has been distinguished in the political life of Scott County, Southeast Missouri, and the entire State, he said, for he has served as chairman of the county Democratic committee, as chairman of the 14th district

committee, and is now district attorney.

"He has played an important part in the civic life of Sikeston," Mr. Deamont said. He has been public spirited, and is a lawyer of great ability because of his quiet, unassuming manner, because he has been honorable, valuable, studious, and thorough.

When the speakers had concluded, Mr. Blanton was called. "Of course, I appreciate this honor more than I can tell you," he said. "But credit is due to the loyal support of my friends and the help and co-operation of my father, my mother, and my wife. 'The honor of the office goes to Southeast Missouri,' he said. "Only a small part to me. I hope that at the end of my term I can turn to you and still have your love and affection."

Details were arranged by a committee of the Chamber of Commerce, which sponsored the banquet. Before the dinner a short prayer was given by Frank Lutz and the men sang "America." Mrs. O. T. Elder played the piano and her son, Charles Allen Cook, sang "My Mother's Eyes." About seventy-five were present. Among the men from out-of-town who attended the banquet were Harry Newman, district manager of the Missouri Utilities Co., Charles Boutin and A. W. Barry, associates of the Southeast Missouri Telephone Company; Russell Deamont, Judge Frank Kelly, Albert Spradling, James Finch, Jr., and Burette Oliver, attorneys, all of Cape Girardeau; T. A. Wilson, secretary of the State Highway Commission, Jefferson City; E. F. Sharp and Richard Baynes, attorneys of New Madrid; Geo. Munger, attorney, Bloomfield; Prabhate Judge O. L. Spencer, Ray Lucas, and Steve Barton, attorneys, and M. E. Montgomery, Scott County prosecuting attorney, all of Benton; C. R. Lorton, an associate of the Missouri Utilities Company, Dexter; E. M. Munger,

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It was our pleasure to carry flowers Thursday morning to a very splendid woman who has had a long siege of illness but who is now convalescing. This visit, we trust, was encouraging to the patient and we know down in our heart we felt a better man. You know we believe each of us was placed on earth by God for some particular purpose and if it be His wish that we grow flowers for, and visit the sick, it will be one of the greatest pleasure of life.

The Standard editor hasn't much sense, but enough to not criticize or comment on any of the entrants in the beauty contest Wednesday night. They all looked good to us—some better than others. Sally Rand wouldn't have looked much better, fan or fanless.

An upheaval has taken place in the Methodist church of this city. The superintendent of the Sunday school has resigned. The teacher of the men's Bible class has resigned. The pipe organist has resigned. It is now hoped that a genuine revival will follow with Brotherly Love and the Golden Rule combined as the motto. What the Protestant churches now need more than anything else is Old Fashioned Religion and less religion to be in the social swim or for business purposes alone.

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Clay A. Mitchell, H. G. Sharp, and L. L. Conatzer, will leave here today for a meeting of Chevrolet zone and regional sales promotion managers which will be held at 1 o'clock on the Tri-State Fair Grounds in Memphis. At this session James Purcell will speak and men attending will discuss marketing low-priced automobiles. Afterward they may attend the Cotton Carnival, now being held, and attend a ball to-night at Ellis Auditorium, where Guy Lombardo and his Royal Canadians will play.

Friday, too, Earl Limbaugh, shop foreman at Mitchell-Sharp Chevrolet Company, will go to Malden for an all-day meeting of Chevrolet service men.

WATTS TO BECOME FRISCO AGENT HERE

O. N. Watts, of West Memphis, Ark., has accepted the position as Frisco agent here and will arrive Saturday to assume duties as head of the railway's Sikeston station.

Mr. Watts has been connected with the Frisco railroad for approximately thirty years. He has held positions in Hayti as agent, in Chaffee, as dispatcher and then chief dispatcher and later served as assistant superintendent of the River and the Eastern divisions.

When the number of assistant superintendents was reduced, he went to West Memphis, Ark., as agent for the company. Watts has a wife, two daughters, and one son.

John LaFont, telegraph operator here, has been acting agent in Sikeston since the death of W. T. Malone in St. Louis, April 12.

ACCUSED PRISONER STOPS JAIL BREAK

Elmer Driskill, said to be the confessed killer of Lum Mills, a fisherman, on the floodway thirteen miles northeast of Hayti Saturday, stopped a planned escape at the Caruthersville jail Tuesday, when he discovered a rope made of blankets being lowered from an upstairs window.

Driskill called the sheriff, who posted deputies around the jail building and so prevented four prisoners from fleeing through a window which they had pried open.

Pulses throb; hearts thrill; thousands cheer; as Durante for the first time parades his suppressed desires!—Malone Theatre, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Smith and daughters, Vernetta, Mary Ethel and Shirley Jean, expect to spend the week-end in Potosi, visiting relatives.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school—9:45.
11:00 a. m. Preaching Services. Morning service will be dismissed for baccalaureate exercises.
7:30 p. m.—Epworth Leagues.
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship—Sermon by the pastor.
Subject: "Blessed are the Peacemakers, or the Golden Gospels".
E. H. Orear, Pastor

SACRED MUSIC CONCERT TO BE SUNDAY NIGHT INSTEAD OF SUNDAY P. M.

A concert of sacred music to have been held at the local Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock, has been postponed until 7:45 that evening at which time it will be held during the regular preaching service. A short meditation on "The Gospel Music" will be given by Mrs. Leslie Garrison following which the program will be turned over to Carroll Rowe, who is in charge of the concert. Special numbers will be rendered by the male quartet of Herrin, Ill., members of which will also render solos, duets, etc. Numbers will also be furnished by the girls' sextet of this city and by a young ladies' duet. The public is invited to attend this service and enjoy these gospel hymns.

W. C. T. U. MEDAL WINNERS ANNOUNCED

The contestants to receive medals given by the W. C. T. U. this year for the best essay on "Scientific Temperance" are as follows:
Senior—Orville Lumsden
Junior—Mary Margaret Russell
Sophomore—Esther Duncan
Freshman—Essie Mae Ward
Eighth grade—Peggy Donnell
Seventh grade—Ruth Hollingsworth
Sixth grade—John Ponder
Fifth grade—Vanita Noyes

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

"Lord what a change within us
One short hour spent in Thy presence will avail to make".
Morning worship—9:00.
Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Meaning of the Church".
Everybody not otherwise engaged at this hour, welcome.
Sunday School, 10 o'clock.
Junior and Senior Christian Endeavor—7:00.
Evening worship—8:00.
Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "Who Is Christian?"
Prayer meeting—8 o'clock every Wednesday evening.

At these meetings a study of the Old Testament by characters is being made. Sunday services will not conflict with high school baccalaureate sermon.

A cordial invitation is extended to all who can attend any or all of these services.
DORSEY D. ELLIS, Pastor

WOMAN'S CLUB TO MEET WITH MRS. NOLAND TUES.

The Woman's Club will meet Tuesday afternoon, May 22, 2:30, at the home of Mrs. J. R. Noland.

BEN 'JON M. S. ENOYS KID PARTY AND CARNIVAL WITH MISS PINNELL MON.

The BenJon Missionary Society of the local Methodist church was entertained Monday night, May 14, with a kid party and carnival at the home of Miss Edna Pinnell. Games in keeping with the object of the party were played, following which delicious refreshments were served. Three guests, Misses Louise Ankershield of Marston, Lena Matthews and Neva Mae Taylor of this city were present to enjoy the affair.

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Words are not sufficient to express our gratitude to our many friends who so kindly lent their assistance during illness and death of our dear mother. Especially do we thank Rev. Transue for his consoling message, and those who gave the many beautiful flowers.

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BANK VAULT CONSTRUCTED

Workmen last week finished pouring the concrete for the large steel-enforced vault of the Bank of Sikeston, which will have a ten-inch Deibold door weighing 16,000 pounds and equipped with a triple time lock. The vault will be used to hold money and 500 customers' safety deposit boxes.

With the completion of the basement floor and ceiling and of foundation walls for the new structure, men will be ready the last of this week or the first of next week to start setting in place the granite for a four-foot base and the buff

brick which will constitute the outer walls of the building.

Members of the contracting concern, the St. Louis Bank Build-

ing & Equipment Company, who are supervising the work, hope to have the bank ready for occupancy by September 1.

His personality would have made a chump of Cleopatra; his wooing makes a champ of Cupid!—Sunday and Monday, Malone Theatre.

Notice of Change in Firm

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Personal News of Sikeston

By Mrs. C. M. Harris, Phone 581

Rev. Leslie Garrison, pastor of the First Baptist church, who is conducting a revival meeting at the Watertown Baptist church, St. Louis, will close the meeting there this Sunday morning. He will stop a short while here that afternoon enroute to Poplar Bluff, where that night he will begin a three weeks' meeting there. The meeting will be held in the new

tenet tabernacle and Rev. Garrison will be assisted by Mark Short and wife. She laughed when he sat down to knock off a cadenza; and you'll roar when he sweeps the footnotes off his bed of genius to the tune of "Inka-Dinka-Do!"—Malone Theatre, Sunday and Monday. Mrs. ohn Fisher was hostess to the Tuesday Club this week.

"Laughing Boy" . . . he laughed at life until love gripped his heart. Malone Theatre, today. Mrs. Ralph Harper entertained the Wednesday Club this week at the home of Mrs. Lee Bowman on Gladys street.

The Ebert-Keady Missionary Society of the local Methodist church met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. R. K. Bone. Mrs. W. C. Walker of Memphis, Tenn., arrived Tuesday for a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Lankford, and family. She will also attend the closing exercises of the high school, her grandson, Walter Weoley Lankford, being a member of this year's graduating class.

Civilization could never tame the love of her Indian mate.—Malone Theatre, today. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Turner and Herb Ficks went to St. Louis last Friday, where the gentlemen are transacting business. While away, Mr. and Mrs. Turner visited with relatives at Hillsboro, Illinois.

Mrs. Ben Carroll was hostess to the Jolly Twelve Club Wednesday afternoon. Eleven members and one visitor, Mrs. W. C. Waker of Memphis, Tenn., were present. Bingo Aras played with Mrs. Arthur Reese and Mrs. W. W. Lankford, being awarded prizes. In the contest, Mrs. Arthur Reese was winner. At the close, refreshments were served. The June meeting will be held with Mrs. Gus Schmidt.

The regular meeting of the Eastern Star Chapter will be held next Thursday night.

The Co-Workers of the local Methodist church closed its year's work on Tuesday with an all-day meeting held at the home of Mrs. G. A. Dempster and was attended by thirty-five members and guests. The regular order of business was transacted with luncheon served at 12 o'clock. Later followed by a visit to the flower garden at the Dempster home. This was a very profitable and pleasant meeting and was enjoyed by all present.

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The first fall meeting of the Society will be held the first Tuesday in October.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dill, Mrs. Rex Cook and John and Gene Dead of Carbondale, Ill., spent last Sunday here visiting with their relatives.

Mrs. Robert Mow will entertain at bridge this afternoon (Friday). Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wilkerson, last Friday, a son, who has been named, Carl, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Carroll had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weeks and family of New Madrid, Miss Edna Wright of Libourn, Mr. and Mrs. John Graham, Miss Virginia Brannum of Duquoin, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Vester Lipe and son and John Brannum of this city.

"Laughing Boy" defied the laws of his tribe . . . risking death and dishonor to have the woman he loved.—Malone Theatre, today.

Mrs. R. D. Baker of Washington, D. C., formerly of this city, arrived Wednesday for a visit of a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilbur and family and other relatives. While here, Mrs. Baker will also attend to business interests.

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When she looked up into his eyes, he looked up into his family tree and now the nuts are falling in the aisles at the lushest shower of love and laughter since the worm jumped out of Eve's apple!—Malone Theatre, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dill and Mrs. Fannie Looney of Carbondale, Ill., will spend Sunday in Sikeston visiting the former's mother, Mrs. A. B. Dill and family. They will also attend the gacalaureate services, Mr. Dill's neice, Eloise Shuppert, being one of the graduates.

See Skillman on Center Street for furniture repairs.

Mrs. A. N. Green and son, Arthur Walker, will leave this morning (Friday) for Memphis, Tenn., where they will join Mr. Green and make their home. The Green property on Greer avenue has been

rented to Tom Mize and family. Col. W. S. Van Dyke, greatest of all globe trotting directors, has again created a masterpiece of native life for the screen.—Malone Theatre, today.

The Grover Baker's are driving a new Dodge that looks mighty spic and span. Guaranteed permanents \$2.50. Extra special oil permanents \$5.00.—Tiny Beauty Salon, phone 2, Sikeston, Mo.

Mrs. Bill Pratt, who had been a patient at the Barnard Hospital, St. Louis, arrived home Monday. Mrs. Pratt is reported as getting along nicely and will return to the hospital within a month for further treatment.

Comedy . . . drama . . . pathos emotion . . . all packed into the most powerful Indian story ever brought to screen.—Malone Theatre, today.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Beasler of University City, are expected Saturday for a week's visit with the latter's sister, Mrs. F. F. Converse and Mr. Converse.

Let Skillman mend your broken furniture.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Flint and daughter, Virginia of St. Louis, will arrive Saturday for the week-end visit with Mrs. H. J. Welsh and family. Sunday, Mr. Flint and family and Mrs. Welsh will leave for Annapolis, Md., where they will witness the graduation exercises at the Naval Academy. Kenneth Davis, fiance of Miss Flint, is a member of this year's class. The party will be away two or three weeks and will visit at Washington, D. C., Mt. Vernon and othr places of importance in the East while away.

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Mrs. C. D. Matthews III and children returned Tuesday night from Arlington, Ky., where they had visited since last Friday with Mrs. Matthews' mother and aunt, Mrs. Maggie Lillard and Mrs. Anne Winchester.

Byron wrote about it; Don Juan duled over it—and now Jimmy Durante brings it to you, LOVE, in all the ruddy glow of a rouge-

colored beak of genius!—Sunday and Monday, Malone Theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wilson left Wednesday for their home in Jefferson City, after a visit here with their relatives. Dr. L. O. Rodas accompanied them on the home trip as far as Mexico, Mo., where he will visit for two weeks with his brother, Dr. Ned Rodas. You may not know who originally built it, but let Skillman rebuild it and know you are getting the best in workmanship.

The W. B. A. Friendship Circle met Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Lige Imman.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stevenson were busines visitors in Clarkston and Libourn, Wednesday.

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Dr. Campbell and Miss Lucille Howlett of Wardell visited at the Moore Greer home, here last Friday evening.

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Mrs. Sam Hall of St. Louis is visiting Mrs. E. G. Buchanan.

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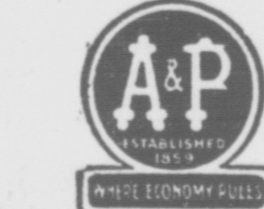
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- Hose 19c to 50c

SIKESTON GOLF CLUB
ON TOP OF THE HEAP

Sikeston's divot diggers knocked Dexter off the top rung of the ladder, where they held a tie position with Sikeston, by a rather decisive defeat.

The match was played on Dexter's grounds, and again Sikeston's junior golfer sharks were left out of the line-up. Dexter was able to win only five of the 21 matches, the score resulting in a 40 to 17 victory for Sikeston.

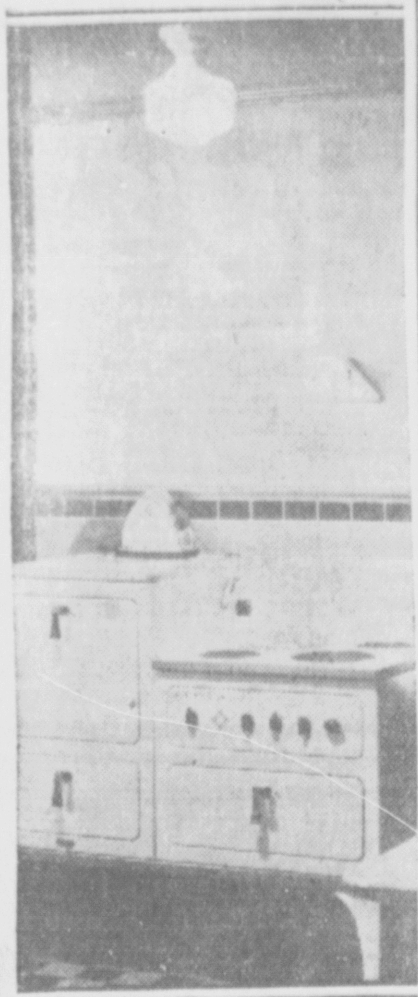
Bill Malone burned up the Dexter course with a par breaking 69—one under perfect scores. Clarence Scott was close behind with two perfect rounds of 72 each, for a 70. L. Bowman with a 73, Paul Galloway with a 76, Billy Keith, Peg Mahew and Pete Medley with 78's, were the next best shooters. Fred Smith, with a 73, was the best Dexter scorer.

The scores:

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|-----------------|-----|---|
| Bill Malone | 69 | 3 |
| Geo. Sisler | 78 | |
| D. L. Fisher | 84 | 3 |
| Ross Lurtz | 106 | |
| C. C. Scott | 70 | 3 |
| R. Sisler | 74 | |
| Jim Sidwell | 86 | 3 |
| N. W. Gill | 106 | |
| L. Bowman | 73 | 1 |
| Fred Smith | 73 | 1 |
| Murray Phillips | 86 | |
| M. Sisler | 76 | 3 |
| P. Galloway | 76 | 3 |
| Jim Buck | 87 | |
| H. Harty | 87 | 1 |
| H. Morgan | 81 | |
| Billy Keith | 78 | 3 |
| M. Clodfelter | 89 | |
| T. C. McClure | 88 | 1 |
| Mack Borth | 87 | 2 |
| Pete Medley | 78 | |
| C. Jenkins | 78 | 1 |
| Buddy Matthews | 88 | |
| L. Seiler | 85 | 3 |
| R. Potashnick | 80 | 3 |
| G. Ulen | 89 | |
| Lee Bowman | 89 | 2 |
| M. Hadentrower | 95 | |
| Peg Mahew | 78 | 2 |
| H. Thrower | 85 | 1 |
| Joe Matthews | 90 | |
| Lee Trammell | 89 | 2 |
| L. M. Stallcup | 83 | 3 |
| F. Leggett | 92 | |
| John Scott | 91 | 3 |
| H. Fritz | 115 | |
| Fred Rodman | 83 | 2 |

Light for the Kitchen

By Helen G. Toland



"Right light will make your stay in the kitchen brighter—and shorter," say scientists who recommend an enclosing glass globe with a 100-watt inside-frosted lamp for the center fixture, with additional lights provided at sink, range and cabinet.

NO matter whether she is her own cook and bottle-washer or not, every woman who manages a home knows that someone must spend several hours of every day in the kitchen. When she knows that good lighting might cut those hours almost in half, she will never be satisfied until she has adequate lighting in her own kitchen.

Light Speeds Work

To prove to her the relation of light to work, science might tell her about the laboratory experiment in which the lighting was doubled and then doubled again, with the result that the rate of working increased 40% for slow workers, 28% for fast workers. So, if Minnie is very slow, good lighting may enable her to do in a couple of hours what she used to take a whole morning to do.

Being eminently practical, science can tell you exactly what you must put into your lighting, to get so much out of it. First comes a center fixture placed close to the cen-

ter, equipped with a 100-watt inside-frosted or a 150-watt daylight lamp bulb in an enclosing globe of diffusing glass.

Science bids you buy your lamp bulbs with care, for only thus can you be assured that they will be honest servants, giving you full value in light for current received. And remember that bulb finish means something, too. The blue daylight lamp bulbs provide a pure, clear quality of light, but they must be used consistently—everywhere in the kitchen or else not at all. They must also be used the next size larger than the clear or inside-frosted lamps recommended for the same place.

In itself, a lamp bulb cannot provide good light for any seeing task. So, as the lamp shades are important for lighting fixtures elsewhere in the house, the enclosing glass globe is important in the kitchen. Through this, the light is sifted and softened, so that our eyes can assimilate and use it for seeing.

Keep Fixtures Clean

Science advises us further that the unit should be washed often, because if dust is allowed to accumulate on it as well as on the ceiling, you may lose as much as 40% of the light for which you are paying in two ways. Your pocketbook is paying for current which goes into light that is absorbed by dirt, and so never reaches your eyes. Your poor cheated eyes are paying too, with energy stolen from funds intended for useful work.

To speed the tasks of mixing, baking and washing up afterward, there should be additional light provided at sink, range and cabinet. At each of these places, the unit close to the ceiling, carrying a 100-watt lamp bulb (150-watt daylight) in an enclosing globe is considered most desirable, because it is overhead and out of the way.

If this additional ceiling light is not practical, a wall bracket placed above the sink, about five feet from the floor, will prove a likely substitute. The placing of this bracket—five feet from the floor—is somewhat lower than usual, but it will be found a source of never-ending comfort. It is annoying to have to look into a bright electric light all the time you are cooking or washing dishes. Hence the wall bracket should be placed below (or else way above) eye-level. It should carry a 60-watt inside frosted (100-watt daylight) lamp bulb, with the light directed down onto the work in hand by an eggshell or bell-shaped shade, made of glass, and as easily cleaned as a china cup.

"Such lighting is bound to make one's stay in the kitchen brighter—and shorter," say scientists.

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| L. Colbert | 87 | 1 |
| B. Forrester | 96 | 2 |
| H. Reed | 100 | |
| G. W. Kirk | 84 | |
| Dr. LaRue | 83 | 2 |

Sikeston plays at Charleston on the Charleston grounds next Sunday, May 20th.

The teams' standing:
Sikeston won 3—lost 0
Dexter won 1—lost 1, tied 1.
Charleston won 1—lost 1, tied 1.
F. Bluff won 2—lost 2.
Kennett won 0—lost 3.

S. E. MO. PRESS
ASSOCIATION TO MEET
ON FRIDAY, JUNE 15

Officers of the Southeast Missouri Press Association will meet next Sunday afternoon at Sikeston for the purpose of arranging a program for the annual meeting which is to be held at Charleston

this year, very probably on Friday, June 15.

It was originally planned to have the meeting earlier this year than usual, but due to the fact that all printers and publishers were interested in securing all of the information possible about the NRA Graphic Arts Code under which all newspapers and job printing plants are now supposed to be operating, it was necessary to wait until such time as sufficient information to be of value would be available.

Publisher S. P. Loebe of the Charleston Enterprise-Courier has indicated that he would prefer the meeting on Friday, June 15, at which time he will have moved into his own new building, and will otherwise have more time to devote to the entertainment of his many guests. Indications are, that because of the code discussion, this meeting will be one of the most

largely attended in several years. Many of the publishers of this district were at the annual Journalism Week at Columbia last week and several are attending the sessions of the National Editorial Association being held in St. Louis this week, at which the code will have a prominent place on the program.—Kennett Democrat.

LURENDA INTRODUCES
NOVEL METHOD FOR
FREEZING ICE CREAM

Mrs. K. has had some difficulty in finding a competent maid and cook's helper. Some have been lazy, others slow, or stupid, or all three. "I tell you, you ought to go to New Madrid if you want to find somebody to work for you," the cook said. "These women around here don't want to work."

Mrs. K., however, didn't go to New Madrid. She thought, perhaps, that eventually she would find a decent worker. Last week she hired Lurenda. "Now listen to me," she said, "and do what I say, or you pay attention you can go the way."

"Yes a," said Lurenda. "On Saturday, Mrs. K. stayed long in the kitchen, baking a cake, supervising the preparation of ducks and vegetables and dough for rolls. Besides, she mashed strawberries, getting them ready for ice cream for Sunday. But Mrs. K. had to leave.

"Take out the ice cubes," she told Lurenda, "and put the strawberry ice cream in the refrigerator so it will freeze."

"Yes'm," said Lurenda. Mrs. K. left. Lurenda went about her work. Finally, the cook noticed her.

"What'd you do with that ice cream?" she asked. "I put it in the cooler."

"Where?" said the cook. "In the cooler."

The cook went into the dining room and took the lid from the cooler which sits there so that diners may always have ice water. In it she saw the embryo ice cream and the mashed strawberries floating with the water. "Oh, Lord," she said.

Lurenda gathered her things and left.

Mrs. K., coming home late, found her cook's helper gone, her ice cream ruined. The cook told the story delightedly. "She tho't it was for a drink," she said.

Later, Lurenda returned for an hour. She did not stay. At mid-

H.-H. Beats Kirby
5-2 in Slow Game

A baseball team from the Morehouse Company of Himmelferberger-Harrison came here Thursday and defeated the Kirby Cafe nine, 5 to 2 in the second municipal league match.

The game was very slow, especially the first two innings, which required an hour, and only five innings were played.

P. Crain and Bennet pitched for the home team and Arterberry and Sanders for the visitors.

The score:

| H.-H. | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---------------|----|---|---|----|---|---|
| Chapman, ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Caldwell, 3b | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Clayton, 1b | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Mocabee, 2b | 3 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| McFarland, c | 2 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 1 | 0 |
| Hart, rf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Baker, cf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| F. Bryant, lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Arterberry, p | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Sanders, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Totals

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|----|---|---|----|---|---|
| 23 | 5 | 6 | 15 | 4 | 3 |
|----|---|---|----|---|---|

| Kirby Cafe | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|--------------|----|---|---|----|---|---|
| Weideman, 3b | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sexton, 1b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |

night, Mrs. K. put a mixture for strawberry ice cream into the refrigerator. The next day it was eaten. It was very good.

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|-----------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| A. Williams, lf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Weeks, rf | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| B. Crain, cf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Hicks, ss | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| Ramsey, 2b | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| F. Clinton, c | 2 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| P. Crain, p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Bennet, 2b | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |

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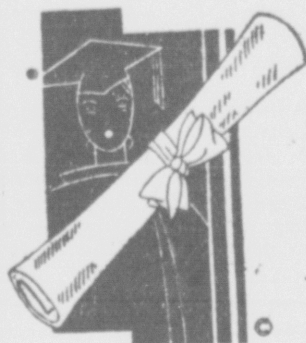
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| 21 | 2 | 4 | 15 | 4 | 5 |
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Umpires: Weideman and Hall.

A Century of Progress Souvenir Edition FREE with the Sunday Chicago Herald and Examiner of May 27th. Here is Just What You Will Want—a Complete Daily Listing of Special Events for the Month and Many Photographs.

Dan Pepper, Jr., was the guest of Pat Wilbur last Friday and Saturday. Pat returned with Dan, Jr., and his father, to their home at Lexington, Miss. He will visit them for a few days, then continue his journey by bus to Plant City, Fla., where he is enroute to spend the summer vacation with his sisters, Mrs. L. J. Prosser and Mrs. M. Peal Clark and families, and brother, R. M. Wilbur.

As a human food corn is also converted into oil into starch and into glucose, a form of sugar.

To Sikeston Graduates and All
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Board of
Public WorksNeighborhood
Personal News
From Big Opening

Mrs. Kirby Loftin and little son, Harvey Edward, of Detroit, Mich., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Frye and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale King spent the past week-end with relatives at Malden.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hoover and family visited relatives Sunday at Woodrow.

Those who shopped in Sikeston last Saturday were Misses Addie Hoover, Rosie Frye and Mrs. Bob Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Young and Mrs. Harry Galloway and little son, David, transacted business in New Madrid last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard DeWitt and family were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. "Dude" Parker, near Matthews.

The following were present at a Mother's Day reunion given in honor of Mrs. Sue Kem Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Kem and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lem Kem and family of Pharris Ridge.

Clyde Orr has returned to his home for the summer at Gideon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Willingham and family, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pearcey and little daughter, Rita Jane, visited relatives and friends at Vanduser, Sunday.

Frank Pearcey is ill at this writing.

Emory Sutton of Parma spent the past week-end with Miss Mary Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie DeWitt were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frye and family.

Miss Zelpha DeWitt was the guest of Misses Ozella, Ruby and Florence Pearcey, Sunday.

Jim Hinkle spent the past week-end with relatives at Sikeston.

OILERS BEAT ORAN
IN NEW UNIFORMS

By Leo Smith
The Simpson Oil teams started a four-run rally in the 9th inning to win over the visiting Oran Club, 8 to 7, Sunday. The game was slow and loosely played by both teams, a total of ten errors being made.

Jack Lancaster was the leading slugger for the Oilers, getting 3 hits out of 3 times at bat, a single, double and triple. Byrd also got a triple, while Poe and Leo were the leaders for the visitors, getting two out of five times at bat. Poe got a double and triple, while Leo got a single and triple. Pearson also got a triple.

The Oilers also completed two double plays—Lancaster, unassisted, and Stacy to Law to Byrd. The Oilers won their first game

in their new uniforms.

The score:

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| Oran | 7 | 10 | 4 |
| Simpson Oil | 8 | 8 | 6 |

Some five thousand ducks, mostly mallards, are now resting on the waterfowl sanctuary west of Warsaw, Union Electric Company officials state. Plantings of aquatic plants are now being made to attract waterfowl this fall, it being estimated that 30,000 will adopt the Hoggle Creek preserve for a resting place.

Printing was first introduced in the new world in Lima, Peru, and the first printing press was established by the Jesuits.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, by his deed of trust dated May 17, 1930, and recorded in Book 59 at page 202 of the Deed Records of Scott County, Missouri, James McPheeters, single, conveyed to the undersigned Trustee the following described real estate, lying, being and situate in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:

All of the West Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section Twenty-six (26) and all that part of the East Half of the Southwest Quarter of said Section Twenty-six (26), lying south of the branch, all in Township Twenty-eight (28), North, Range thirteen (13), East of the fifth principal meridian, containing One Hundred and Fifty (150) acres, more or less, and being all the land heretofore owned by James McPheeters in said Section at the time of said conveyance.

In trust to secure the payment of a certain note in said deed of trust fully described; and

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of said note and debt; and

WHEREAS, I have been requested by the legal holder of said note to exercise the power of same in me vested by said deed of trust.

NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that pursuant to the power in me vested in said deed of trust, and pursuant to the request of the legal holder of said note, I will, on

SATURDAY, THE 26th DAY OF MAY, 1934,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the front door of the Courthouse in the town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, sell the above described real estate at public auction for cash to the highest bidder to pay said debt and cost of this foreclosure.

E. J. DEAL, Trustee
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ARE AMAZED AT
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Cap'n Bill



MECHANICAL HORSES TO BE EXHIBITED AT OZARKS MARDI GRAS

J. Otto Hahs will send three of his mechanical horses to the Ozarks Mardi Gras in Poplar Bluff for an exhibition during the celebration May 24 to 26. Arrangements were completed following an invitation by the American Legion Boy Scout troop, which will sponsor the horses.

Mr. Hahs invented the ponies about two and a half years ago. In his machine shop here he made the electric motors which, with speed reducing devices, allow the mechanical animals to rack, canter, gallop, and pace and put them in the horses' bodies, whittled by hand by employees of an eastern pattern making company. Not long afterward, when he exhibited his invention at an international display of novelty amusement devices in New York City, he was awarded a trophy by a committee of judges who stated his horses were the most striking novelties shown at the exposition. Mr. Hahs now has approximately thirty mechanical ponies placed in department stores and amusement parks in seven States. This year he has set one in the Natatorium here.

Mrs. John Scott and daughter, Maxine, left for Hot Springs.

COUNTY CLERK'S NOTICE OF PRIMARY ELECTION

State of Missouri, County of Scott,

In the office of the county clerk. Notice is hereby given that a Primary Election will be held at the regular polling places in each voting precinct of said County of Scott, on the first Tuesday in August, 1934, being the 7th day of August, 1934, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices to be voted for at the General Election to be held on Tuesday, November 6th, 1934, to-wit:

Senator in Congress for Missouri,

Judge Supreme Court, Division No. One.

Judge Supreme Court, Division No. Two (Unexpired Term),

State Superintendent of Public Schools,

Representative in Congress for Tenth District,

Judge of the Circuit Court for the Twenty-eighth Judicial Circuit,

Member of the House of Representatives,

Presiding Judge of the County Court,

Judge of the County Court, 1st District,

Judge of the County Court, 2nd District,

Judge of the Probate Court,

Prosecuting Attorney,

Clerk of the Circuit Court,

Clerk of the County Court,

Collector of Revenue,

Recorder of Deeds,

Justice of the Peace, Commerce Township, (Two to elect),

Justice of the Peace, Kelso Township, (Three to elect, at least one of whom shall be a resident of the City of Chaffee),

Justice of the Peace, Morley Township, (Two to elect),

Justice of the Peace, Moreland Township, (Two to elect),

Justice of the Peace, Richland Township, (Three to elect, at least one of whom shall be a resident of the City of Sikeston),

Justice of the Peace, Sylvania Township, (Two to elect),

Justice of the Peace, Sandywoods Township, (Two to elect),

Justice of the Peace, Tywappity Township, (Two to elect),

Constable, Commerce Township,

Constable, Kelso Township,

Constable, Morley Township,

Constable, Moreland Township,

Constable, Richland Township,

Constable, Sylvania Township,

Constable, Sandywoods Township,

Constable, Tywappity Township,

Committeeman, Commerce Township,

Committeewoman, Commerce Township,

Committeeman, Kelso Township,

Committeewoman, Kelso Township,

Committeeman, Morley Township,

Committeewoman, Morley Township,

Committeeman, Moreland Township,

Committeewoman, Moreland Township,

Committeeman, Richland Township,

Committeewoman, Richland Township,

Committeeman, Sylvania Township,

Committeewoman, Sylvania Township,

Committeeman, Sandywoods Township,

Committeewoman, Sandywoods Township,

Committeeman, Tywappity Township,

Committeewoman, Tywappity Township,

State of Missouri, County of Scott,

I, J. Sherwood Smith, Clerk of the County Court, within and for the State and County aforesaid, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct statement of the offices to make nomination for, at the Primary Election to be held on August 7th, 1934.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the County Court. Done at office in Benton, Missouri, this 5th day of May, 1934.

(SEAL)

J. SHERWOOD SMITH,
Clerk of the County Court.
First pub. May 11-18-25, June 1

Ark, Tuesday afternoon to be present at the wedding of Miss Elizabeth Taylor and Dean T. Carrigan which takes place Saturday. Maxine will be flower girl and a beautiful one, too.

"We", the eighth grade pupils of 1933-34, dedicate this poem to our teachers whom we appreciate very much.

GOODBYE TEACHERS

Goodbye dear teachers, we must leave you,

As we go on our way thru life,

We have misbehaved and we are sorry

But next year we will try to do right.

Our teachers have tried to be patient,

As our minds wandered off into space

Thinking of vacation, seashore and the mountains

And anything else in that case.

Goodbye Misses Goodman and Cowan,

We know we have troubled you much,

Forgive us of our mistakes Miss Davis,

For our Algebra we know will be tough.

Our English was dreadful Miss Erley,

Forgive us this once please we pray,

For our Latin is likely to be like it.

So we'll get to work and won't stop to play.

We will remember you, Miss O'Hara

Of your patience as we studied the wars

Of the fighting and bleeding for freedom

And the first great trains and cars.

We will miss our art and our writing,

Our gym and our music, too,

Goodbye Miss Schroff, we will miss you,

And goodbye Mr. Stallings, too.

"We seek higher things" is our motto,

So we must be going along,

Goodbye dear teachers we are going

Goodbye dear teachers, we are gone.

—DORIS COMER,
8th grade pupil.

Primitive desire swept them into a love as wild as the Indian blood that burned in their veins.—Malone Theatre, today.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Congress—
We are authorized to announce Dr. Z. Lee Stokely, of Poplar Bluff, as a candidate for Congress from this district, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the August primary election.

We are authorized to announce Orville Zimmerman, of Kennett, as a candidate for Congress from this district subject to the will of the voters at the August primary election.

Circuit Judge—
We are authorized to announce Frank Kelly as a candidate for Judge of the 28th Judicial Circuit subject to the will of the voters of the August primary.

Probate Judge—
We are authorized to announce O. L. Spencer as a candidate for re-election to the office of Probate Judge of Scott County subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the August primary.

Circuit Clerk—
We are authorized to announce Leo J. Pfefferkorn as a candidate for re-election to the office of Circuit Clerk of Scott County subject to the will of the voters at the August Democratic primary.

For County Clerk—
We are authorized to announce J. Sherwood Smith as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Clerk on the Democratic ticket subject to the will of the voters at the August primary.

We are authorized to announce Roy A. Green as a candidate for County Clerk of Scott County subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the August primary.

Prosecuting Attorney—
We are authorized to announce W. P. Wilkerson as a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney of Scott County on the Democratic ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the August primary.

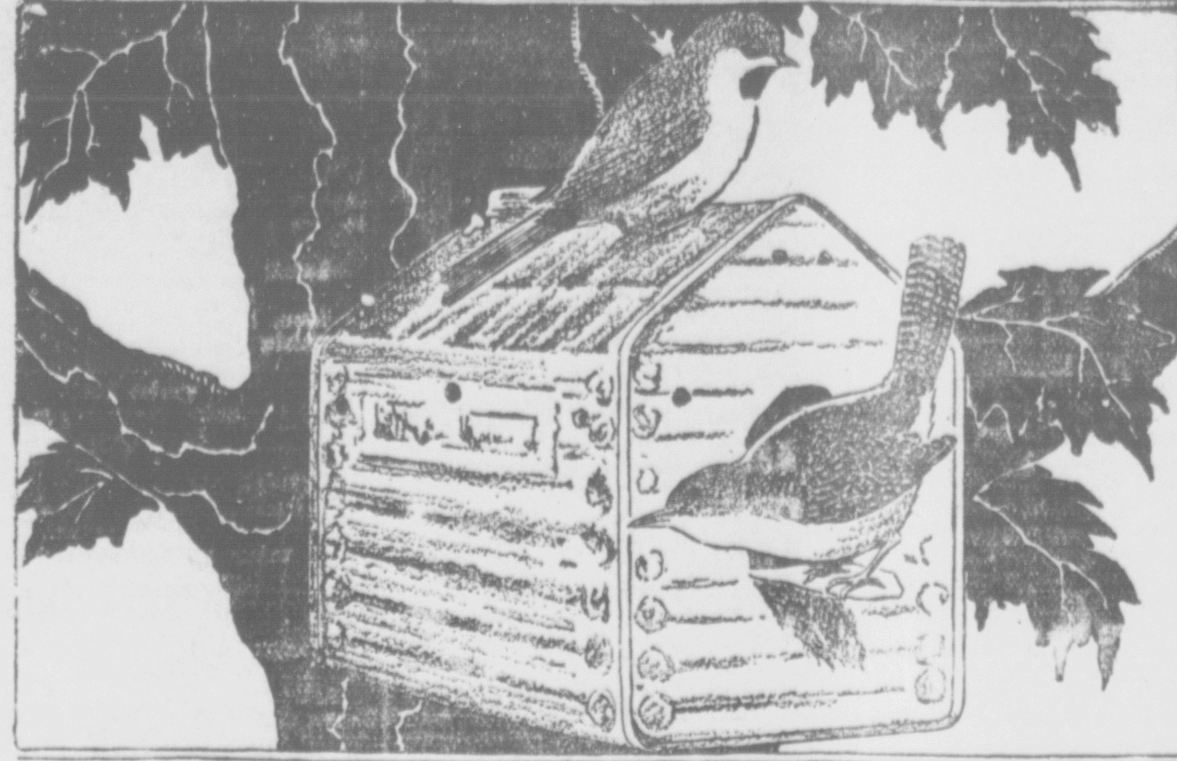
For Collector—
We are authorized to announce C. E. Felker as a candidate for the office of Collector and Ex-Officio Treasurer of Scott County on the Democratic ticket, subject to the will of the voters in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce Tom Scott as a candidate for Collector of Scott County, subject to the will of the Democratic primary to be held in August.

We are authorized to announce William Oliver as a candidate for Collector of Scott County, on the Democratic ticket, subject to the will of the voters in the August primary.

Recorder of Deeds—
We are authorized to announce H. F. Kirkpatrick as a candidate for re-election to the office of Recorder of Deeds for Scott County on the Democratic ticket subject to the will of the voters at the August primary.

We are authorized to announce Barney Forrester as a candidate for Alderman from the 8d Ward, subject to the will of the voters at the special election to be held May 16.



For Your Feathered Friends

HAS it ever occurred to you what a pleasure it would be to you and what a useful thing you would be doing if you provided safe homes like the above for the little wrens and chickadees and other small song birds who would be only too delighted to move into them this spring if they found them standing ready in your yard?

It's such a simple thing to do, too. All that is necessary is to buy a can of syrup that comes in the shape of a log cabin, cut and punch a few holes in it, and there you are! You will need a little more specific instructions, if you are attracted by the idea, however, and Mrs. Olive Benedict Coming, bird enthusiast of Lake Keuka, New York, has provided them.

How to Make the House

"After cleaning an empty tin with hot water," she says, "make a hole an inch in diameter, with a jackknife, just above the center of one of the end panels. This entrance will be large enough to admit wrens and smaller birds, but will keep out noisy sparrows. It should be in the upper half of the wall so it won't be covered when the birds build their nest inside. Cut from the top of the hole downward, and when the top and two sides of the hole are complete, bend out the flap of metal to form a perch. Smooth down the sharp corners with a file or a pair of pliers or a hammer.

"After punching a few nail holes in the sides and bottom for

ventilation, plug up the chimney and fasten the cabin to a tree or building with a wooden bracket, or a piece of wire or stout cord. All birdhouses should be placed in the shade to protect nestlings from the summer sun. In a few minutes and at no expense anyone can have in this way a practical cabin for small birds which will protect these valuable and amusing neighbors from being crowded out by sparrows, other feathered hooligans or cats."

A Joyful Awakening

As a result of this small effort you will stir drowsily some morning soon in the sweet spring air, and hear a small, clear voice outside your window ejaculate: "Cheep!" This will not be a comment on your character. Far from it! It will be an expression of appreciation of your generosity in giving your small feathered friends this protection, and the result will be that you will attract to your yard one or more whole families of delightful neighbors who will provide interest and amusement for you not only this summer but for many summers to come.

Lots of people are already doing this. Mrs. Coming, for instance, has fifteen of these rustic bird cabins about her Lake Keuka cottage, and every year they are occupied by cheerful families of wrens and song birds. She doesn't have to advertise those cottages. In fact she claims that there is a waiting list. "But remember,"

she cautions you, "that it is the early birdhouse that catches the early birds!"

Of Practical Use, Too

The useful feature of this pleasant enterprise is that crop and garden pests which do about eight hundred million dollars' worth of damage every year are held at bay, according to scientists, almost wholly by our wild birds. Even a small fraction of that sum seems worth saving, so, although we have only one-tenth as many birds as we could use with profit, you can attract to your vicinity your due proportion of those that survive by the simple expedient suggested above.

For bird houses need not be elaborate or expensive to be attractive. They can successfully be made from many kinds of materials which would otherwise go to waste. For the above kind, the nearest grocer is your best bet. Put the syrup inside you, and the prepared can out in your yard, and the job's done.

This movement is known as the Save the Birds Club, and its headquarters are at 6903 Seminole Avenue, Forest Hills, Long Island, New York, but there is no need to write to headquarters for further information as this story contains the complete instructions on how to make the bird houses. If you are interested in what sort of birds they will attract in your neighborhood, go to some local nature lover, or your local zoo, and either will be delighted to tell you.

Tales of Munchasen

The Tale of the Growing Fungus

Once while I was in Peru, I set out to gather various kinds of rock for testing. I had climbed to an altitude of 9000 feet when I came upon a curiously shaped rock which was holding up a larger one. Rashly I tried to knock it out. With a roar a huge landslide started rolling down the steep sides of the mountain. Instinctively I dropped and lay flat on my stomach. A slight depression in the ground protected me from the rocks rolling above. When the landslide ceased, I opened my eyes and looked at my surroundings. The depression was even deeper than I thought, being 8 feet in length and 2 feet in height.

On the mountains of Peru there grows a curious mushroom called the umbrella. It is five inches in diameter, when full grown and can grow in 24 hours under the poorest conditions. A small cluster of these grew in my prison. Having a small quantity of provisions, I immediately remembered my experience with the growing Sargasso. I sprinkled a small

Building a Better State

Public Health Nursing

"Keep the well baby well" is one of the purposes of the Public Health Nursing program according to Miss Mabel G. Munro, R. N., director of the St. Joseph Organization for Public Health Nursing.

Fifty years ago Public Health Nursing was confined to the nursing of the sick poor in their homes. Today it is an organized community service rendered by graduate nurses to the individual,

quantity of it around the mushrooms thinking I could eat them raw, as the necessity dictated. After a while I fell asleep and must have slept from five to ten hours, for when I awoke, I found the mushroom heads had disappeared in the rock. At that same instant a crash issued from the rock above me and it rolled down the valley. I divined the cause instantly—a mushroom exerts tremendous growing power. The little group that I had, exerted such pressure that they rolled the rock away!

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May 17 and 18

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family and community. Today an active public health nursing unit keeps up a constant campaign to improve the health and reduce the death rate of the community.

A public health nursing agency may confine its efforts to one particular age group or to one condition; it may perform many services in a generalized program, which is today rapidly replacing the specialized program.

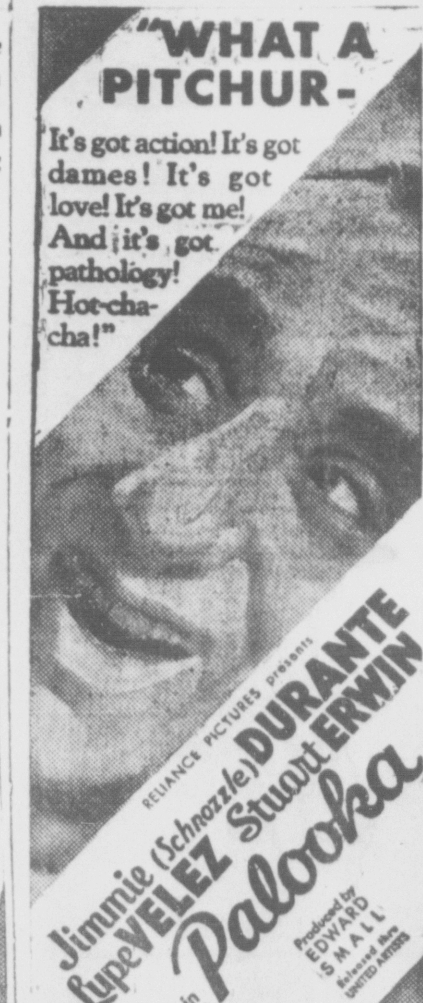
A generalized program may include prenatal service, maternity service, infant and preschool health supervision, school nursing, communicable disease nursing, etc.

MALONE THEATRE

Sunday and Monday

May 20 and 21

Afternoon and Evening



Also
PARAMOUNT SOUND NEWS
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Metro Comedy
"THE CARETAKERS'
DAUGHTER"

Every prospective mother needs and is entitled to the best service which modern medical and nursing science can provide. The Public Health Nurse encourages every mother to see her doctor as early in her pregnancy as possible. If the family cannot provide its own doctor, the nurse refers the mother to the public agency which is equipped to provide adequate care for that mother.

Providing a nurse to assist the doctor in the home at the birth of the child is often included in a public health nursing service.

After the baby arrives a nurse makes daily visits; carries out the orders of the physician on the case; bathes the mother and baby and at the same time teaches someone in the home to give adequate care until she returns the next day. Her instructions suggest diet, rest and exercise for the mother. The nurse will outline a program of health habits for the new baby. Here adequate suggestions are made about its feeding, sleep, personal hygiene, clothes and many other details which are of great importance to both the mother and baby.

Child health centers are established and well baby conferences are held. The motive of these conferences is to "keep the well baby well" by providing regular medical inspection for the baby, advising about his diet and personal hygiene and helping the mother understand his normal development. The mother's attention is called to any abnormal conditions and she is referred to her family physician for correction. This health supervision service should continue through infancy and on through the preschool period. During this time the child is immunized against diphtheria and smallpox. When he enters school he is free from physical defects and in good condition to begin his school career.

The Public Health Nurse in the school continues the health supervision of the child. He is inspected regularly. He is weighed; his throat, teeth and posture are inspected. When defects are found vision and hearing are tested; his the parents are encouraged to have these defects corrected. If the parents cannot provide necessary care, the Public Health Nurse knows how to utilize the resources of the community to have the work done. The nurse assists the teacher in developing health attitudes and habits in the child. Assisting in the prevention and control of communicable disease is part of the day's work in the program of the school nurse.

Beside nursing care to communicable disease cases, who are sick in their homes, is now carried by

many nursing agencies with excellent results.

"The Public Health Nurse, in whatever capacity she serves, is working with people. She is living their lives, identified with their burdens, seeing and making the most of their potentialities. What they go through, she too must see and feel, because she must start with them where they are."

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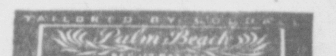
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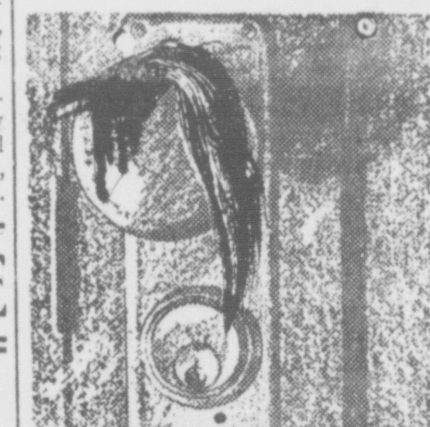


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FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms. 225 Kathleen Ave. 11-59.

Wind through the pines on a star lit night was their love song.—Malone Theatre, tonight.

CHILD TRAMPLED BY MARE

Fred Eugene Perkins, 5-year-old

son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Perkins of Zalma, is unconscious in a Cape Girardeau hospital suffering from head injuries and a possible fracture of his skull which he sustained when he was trampled by a mare in the barnyard of his home, Monday.

Seeing the mare and a colt acting strangely in the barnyard, the child's mother went out and found her son unconscious on the ground.

Wife Was Fat No Longer Attractive LOST HUSBAND'S LOVE

The above headlines appeared in a New York newspaper in connection with a divorce trial. "She was a beautiful woman", one witness testified, "but she got fat and is not attractive any more".

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It's the SAFE way to reduce but be sure you get Kruschen—your health comes first and remember this if you are not joyfully satisfied with results—money back.—6

Mrs. Fred Cooley entertained for her daughter, Golda Jean, Wednesday afternoon, in honor of her sixth birthday anniversary. Mrs. Cooley was assisted by Mrs. Guy Beck and Mrs. Jesse Chapman. Games were played, after which refreshments of ice cream, cookies and lemonade were served. Those present were: Eugene and Janet Trousdale, Mary Evelyn, Sue and Jean Chapman, Margaret Lambert, Ruth Collins, Wilma Lou Foster, Dorris Jean Foster, Priscilla Weekly, Eileen and Eugene Hooker, Laura Jo and Virginia Latham, Louise Skelton, Lilly Mae Ozment, Bonnie Belle Schaeffer, Billie Cozette Cooley, Ronald Beck, G. C. and Homer Call, A. J. and Larry Hale, Mary Alice and Henry Dallas Stanley, Maxine Ozment, Joe Bayer, Joe Cooley, Chas. Menees and J. W. Littles.

Pharris Ridge Personal And Local Items

Wm. Deane, Jr., teacher of Pharris Ridge school, closed his school Friday with a picnic. At the noon hour a bounteous dinner was spread. The afternoon was spent in playing ball, and potato and sack racing. A large crowd witnessed the happy event. Two pupils were graduated from the 8th grade: Opal Martin and Ruthie Crowell.

Guaranteed permanents \$2.50. Extra special oil permanents \$5.00.—Tiny Beauty Salon, phone 2, Sikeston, Mo.

Garnet Parmley of Morehouse conducted Mother's Day services at Landers' Ridge school house Sunday afternoon.

Alfreda and Emma Kem, Addie Hoover, Maloy Bell and Roy Shelby spent a short time Saturday evening with Zelma Kem.

Vera Tetley and James and Aileen Adcock spent Sunday with James and Edwyna Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kem and family spent Sunday afternoon with the former's mother and brother, Mrs. Susan Kem and son, Archie, of Big Opening community.

Among those who shopped in Sikeston Saturday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. John Crossno and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. W. Larkner and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. Pearson and sons, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tetley and daughter, Carl Watson, Norman Retell, Louis Kem and children, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Johnson and son, and Mr. and Mrs. John Adcock and family.

Violet Mallin spent Saturday night with Edwyna Johnson.

Joe and Edsel Kem, Albert Tetley and Mrs. W. Williamson are on the sick list this week.

TWO FINED FOR FIGHTING

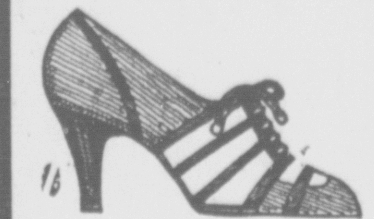
Milburn Minor, 19 years old, pled guilty before Judge W. H. Carter Thursday morning to fighting with Clifford Halliday, 22 years old, at Trousdale's Service Station last Friday night. His fine of \$3 and costs was paid by his mother, who accompanied him to the judge's office.

Halliday was arrested by Constable Brown Jewell Friday night and pled guilty to fighting and being drunk Saturday morning. Upon his failure to pay the fine of \$3 and costs, Judge Carter placed him at work on the city streets.

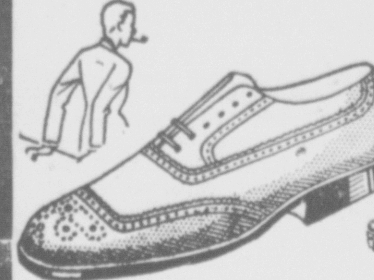
Mrs. A. C. Sikes was hostess to the Thursday Club this week.

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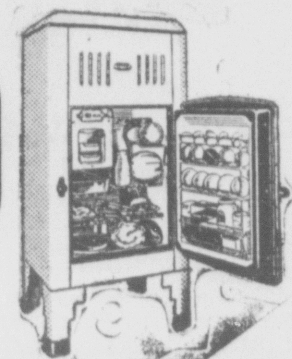
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| Large Green Cucumbers | 2 for | 13c |
| Fairy Queen Marshmallows | 1-2 lb. pkg. | 10c |
| Good Mixed Candy | pound | 10c |
| Hydrox Style Cakes | pound | 19c |

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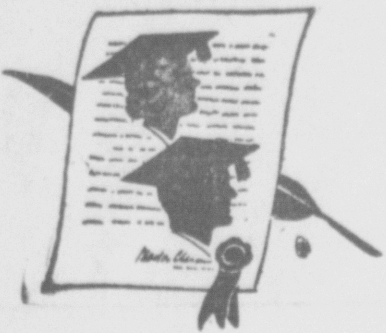
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| HAMBURGER | 10c lb. | 3 lbs. 25c |
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